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BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices will be in... for 10 cents per line each insertion.

The McGibeny Family at Norway Opera House Thursday evening, June 22.

B. F. Spinney & Co. want a night watchman. See adv.

The Norway Art Co. will sell this week hundreds of beautiful pictures at wholesale prices.

N. E. Merrill North Norway sells Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Confectionery, Tobacco, Cigars, Canned goods, Nails, etc.

Big reduction on Millinery for remainder of season, at Mrs. Hills'. Call and see the hats at 25c. each. All this season's styles.

The talented McGibeny Family instantly made an impression on their audience at Steinway Hall last night, and the artistic efforts of these intelligent performers elicited repeated and hearty encores.—[New York Herald.

Pictures at 49c each this week at Norway Art Co., opp. Elm House.

A few more remnants of room papers at very low prices at Stone's.

Dr. A. E. Ricker the Magnetic Healing Physician is obliged to return to Boston June 26, but will be here again for a very few days commencing July 6.

Mrs. Hills has received this week, another lot of hats, flowers, trimmings, etc.

The most enthusiastic audience of the season welcomed the famous McGibeny Family last night at Boyd's. The troupe is a wonder.—[Omaha (Neb.) Bee.

Ladies, call at Norway Art Co. today. Open evenings.

Have you had one of those nice ice cream sodas at Stone's?

Ladies, you can buy Millinery at big reduction, at Mrs. Hills, for remainder of season.

Mrs. J. E. McLean, dressmaker on Danforth street, has a nice, large, airy front room to let. South side of Main street.

The Norway Art Co. will close during most of the hot weather. This is special price week.

Call at J. W. Swan & Co.'s and see the new neck-wear.

Tickets for Miss Snow's recital at the Congregational church Thursday evening June 29, on sale at Smiley's shoe store.

Spectacles and Eye Glasses at Hills, and fitted as ought to be; no guess work.

Egg phosphate is one of the popular drinks at Stone's fountain.

Veterans, call at art studio, opp. Elm House. Hundreds of American battle views.

Dr. Drake will be out of town from Monday until Friday night of next week.

The wonderful McGibeny Family have come. Were seen last evening by one of the largest crowds ever gathered in Lincoln Hall and were pronounced a grand success.—[National Republican, Washington, D. C.)

There is no bad after effect from Dr. Drake's method. No other dentist has it.

Remember Hills is a practical optician, and guarantees fits. Don't be humbugged by peddlers who can't find enough to do in their location, but have to travel around the country.

All members of the Norway Wheel Club are requested to meet at the Club Hall, Sunday, June 25, for a club run to Bryant's Pond. All wheelmen are invited. Per order of Captain.

The danger from gas and ether is entirely overcome by Dr. Drake's method. Office over Stone's drug store.

Don't be humbuged by spectacle peddlers, but go to Hills and save money.

Norway Lodge, I. O. O. F. will have a moonlight excursion to Gibson Grove Thursday evening, June 29th, by steamer, starting at 7.30. Tickets 15 cents.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Mrs. Henry Davis is very sick.

The shoe factory is soon to be painted.

Geo. L. Noyes is having concrete sidewalk in front of the Noyes Block.

Mrs. Sumner Burnham is in town, the guest of Mrs. Samuel Frost. Being unable to visit her many friends during her stay in the villiage, she would be pleased to meet them at Mrs. Frost's, on Danforth street.

Mrs. Hester Harland from California is the guest of her relatives, Mrs. J. M. Teague and Mrs. C. L. DeCosta. Mrs. Harland has never been in New England before. We hope her first impressions may be pleasant.

Grand Recital and concert on Thursday evening June 29th at Congregational church Norway. Miss Snow one of Boston's popular readers will give several selections. She will be ably supported by Mr. George Horne one of the most delightful soloists of the day and Miss Annie Frank Libby Boston's favorite Harpist. Miss Minnie Plummer the accomplished musician will act as organist.

Miss S. B. Prince is in Boston this week.

E. E. Hastings, esq., of Fryeburg was in town Wednesday.

Dr. Geo. B. Andrews and family of Auburn visited in town this week.

Mrs. F. Q. Elliott entertained a few of her lady friends Wednesday evening.

A concrete sidewalk is being put in in front of Smith & Flood's.

The Harrison stage looks gay in its new and fancy dress of paint.

John McCann from Auburn was in town Sunday.

Frank Riggs and wife of Lewiston have been visiting in town this week.

Mrs. Olive Perkins of Vineland, N. J., is visiting at Ansel Dinsmore's.

S. H. Hayden and family of Auburn spent the Sabbath here.

W. E. Lombard of Turner of the senior class of Colby University has been visiting this week at N. W. Millett's.

There was quite a heavy frost on the low lands in the vicinity of the town farm Friday night.

The Millett boys in district No. 10 are building a new barn. Horace Dinsmore is doing the job.

Robert R. Gurney has a position in a wholesale house in Bangor.

Dr. E. H. Cook has been confined to the house the past week. He is at his brother's, Allie Cook's.

Richardson Knowland with his mother Mrs. W. H. Knowland has gone to South Freeport to pass the coming month.

Rev. B. S. Rideout intends to attend the Maine Christian Endeavor convention at Montreal.

Geo. A. Gunn, G. M. Smith, W. W. Whitmarsh and S. H. Wolcott, went to Sabago Lake fishing, Saturday.

O. A. Kneeland is to be the landlord at the Oxford House at Fryeburg. The house will be opened July 15.

A larger part of our population were pleased when a telegram was received Tuesday evening giving a verdict of "Not Guilty" in the Lizzie Borden case.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bartlett, Master Lawrence Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Thompson and Edith Thompson of Lynn, Mass., were at the Beal's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Andrews are keeping house in their residence on Main street. Their many friends wish the young couple much prosperity and happiness, and all are more than glad to welcome them to our village.

Kenna's Minstrels, who were here a short time ago, returned Monday evening and gave an entertainment to an audience much larger in size than when they were here before. This shows that their efforts as entertainers are appreciated.

J. H. Hodgdon presents the ADVERTISER office with a sample of rhubarb that he raises. It is of the strawberry variety. Some of the stalks we measured and found them two feet in length to the leaves, and six inches in circumference. The leaves were simply immense, 34x29 inches.

George Larabee, who had made a visit to Gorham, N. H., came here on the train Wednesday afternoon. It was evident he had partaken freely of the ardent and he was arrested and put in the cooler. Thursday morning he was taken before the Norway Municapal Court and fined $3.00 and costs, $7.72.

The bank wall on the shore of the river near Bridge street makes a nice place for the children to play and a somewhat dangerous one too. Monday afternoon two small boys were playing there and taking a ride in a box which they made answer the requirements of a boat, when one of them fell in the water. Had not some one come to the rescue and got him out he would have been drowned.

June Leavitt had a birthday party at her father's cottage by the Lake Tuesday. The girl playmates about her age were invited. Then little Georgie Leavitt her brother wanted to enjoy the day so he invited some small fellows about his size. A few of the mothers of course went to look after the younger children and make it pleasant for Mrs. Leavitt. Thus there was a good sized party and they had as good a time as only fifty girls and little folks together can. It was a fine day and the trip up and back on the steamer was delightful. June received presents of a gold pin, charm watch chain, book, and one dollar in money.

Louvie P. Swett attended the Lewiston bicycle races last Saturday. As usual he came out first in one and second in another. In the half mile, best two in three, he took the first prize, a gent's traveling case. It was supposed to be the best prize, but in this case it was the cheapest prize of the three. The cost of the traveling case could not have been much over $2.00 while the value of the 2nd and 3d prizes was very much larger. This 1st prize was not bought by the manager, Frank Cook, until after the race, hence this may account some for its cheapness. Louvie felt some like kicking, but then there is no use in that. He will remember it in the future, however.

Rev. C. E. Angell went to the World's Fair Monday.

Ellie S. Swan goes this week to Bangor on a visit.

Geo. W. Carter, who is a travelling salesman for a Boston firm, visited in town the past week.

Dr. C. A. Stephens, wife and daughters Edna and Janet, started for the World's Fair this week.

Mrs. Lydia C. Smith of Denmark is visiting at her brother's, C. E. Holt's on Pleasant street.

Arthur Swan and three other boys went to Lewiston and back the 18th on their bicycles.

Harry Greenleaf ships from this station every other day nine 20 gallon cans of cream to the Turner Center factory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nash are living in the cottage near John Callahan's on the Lake Pennesseewassee shore.

Harry Welch's family are soon to come here from Lynn. They are to occupy one of the cottages near John Callahan's by Lake Pennesseewassee.

Gen. Beal is interested in getting up a book illustrated with views of our beautiful lake and river, mountain and valley scenery.

F. H. Noyes, F. Q. Elliott, Horace Cole and F. W. Sanborn went to Camp Brockton, Ketchum, Monday afternoon. They are to return Thursday.

Stearns & Norseworthy's Orchestra, seven pieces, are to give a concert and dance at Village Hall, South Waterford, Wednesday evening, June 28.

As usual Uncle Peter Frost has a garden that is somewhat ahead of times. His green peas are almost ready to pick and other vegetables are not far behind. Uncle Peter knows how to garden.

Next Sunday will be observed as Children's Day at the Congregational Church. There will be a sermon in the morning appropriate to the day and a concert in the evening at 7 o'clock.

A. F. Andrews and wife and Nellie, J. M. Philbrook, wife and daughter of Bethel and a Mr. Libby and wife of Bath start Friday for Chicago via Montreal.

Mrs. S. Dexter Andrews and Miss Bennett started Monday for Chicago via Montreal, to see the World's Fair. Mrs. Andrews will be met in Chicago by her husband who is now in the west. She, with her husband, are to go to Oconto, Wis., for the remainder of the summer.

There was a large attendance at the temperance meeting Sunday evening held at the Congregational church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Rev. C. E. Angell presided. Grace Holden gave an excellent recitation. Remarks were made by the president, Judge Whitman, E. H. Brown, Rev. J. H. Roberts and Rev. B. S. Rideout.

Samuel Hersey's horse which was hitched near the Savings Bank, took fright Monday forenoon at the street sprinkler that was passing, and running up street overturned the horse and carriage of E. C. Slattery of Sumner. It was finally caught but not till it had demolished the wagon and done other damage. Fortunately no one was injured.

F. H. Gross, traveler for J. C. Ayer & Co. of Lowell, was in town over Sunday. We are always pleased to meet Mr. Gross and we wish he might make his visits a little oftener however. He has with him Mr. W. Haskell who is learning the business preparatory to taking a western route for the same firm.

Otis Jones, jr., of Boston, who has spent his summers in our village nearly every year, is very sick at Colorado Springs, Col. His mother and family went with him to California last winter, hoping that the climate might prove beneficial. A few weeks ago, they returned to Colorado Springs. We understand that he has been confined to the bed for two or three weeks. Otis always liked in Norway, and spent most of his vacations here when he possibly could, and is now anxious to get well enough so he can return. From a little boy, he was always very quiet and gentlemanly, and a great favorite with Norway people who join in wishing him a speedy return to health and strength.

Reception.

At the marriage reception given by Mr. W. W. and Laura A. Payne at the bride's home on Tucker street, Thursday evening, June 15, there were over sixty friends and neighbors including a number of the class of '90, of which Mrs. Payne nee Miss Winslow graduated. Music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Decoster of Norway who rendered two fine selections.

Refreshments consisting of bananas, oranges, candy and lemonade were served.

The following presents were received: Pair of towels, set of table mats, tray cloths, tidy, "Gems from Tennyson," oil painting, two gold Epworth League pins from the league. In silver: Three sugar shells, olive spoon, cream spoon, three butter knives, one spoonholder, bon-bon dish, mustard dish, two sets of fruit knives, card basket, two butter dishes, two pickle jars, fruit basket, three cake baskets and five dollars.

A striking piece of newspaper enterprise was the recent issue of the special souvenir edition of the Rumford Falls Times. Thirty handsome engravings of scenes at and around the Falls give an idea of the natural beauties of the place and of the new business enterprises of that wide awake town.

SOUTH PARIS.

The entertainment at the Congregational church last Thursday was pronounced by good judges to be above the average. Miss Snow in her readings came fully up to the expectations of the audience and the singing by Miss Leach and Mr. Briggs was good.

Dr. Horatio Woodbury and Mrs. F. E. Hancock, J. A. Kenney and wife and Geo. Briggs and wife started for Weld Pond Wednesday for a week's fishing. Their headquarters will be at the Frank Stanley camp, but the residents of Weld will do well to see that their chickens roost well up for a while, not because this party is in the vicinity wholly, but on the general principal of safety.

Fred Douglass of Everett, Mass., is visiting at C. N. Porter's.

The young thieves who broke into the confectionery store of Henry & Swift are known and some of them have settled.

Arthur Record has severed his connection with A. M. Gerry and for the balance of the season can be found by his numerous friends on the Moses Chesley farm in Oxford giving lessons in elocution to a pair of oxen.

A delegation from the society of Christian Endeavor of this place went to East Hebron to attend the convention of that body last Friday. A good meeting was reported.

E. M. Dunham and Kate Cullinan were married recently.

Rev. Henry O. Thayer and daughter are visiting at Mrs. Hewett's.

C. L. Buck will close his dental rooms next Tuesday for the balance of the week while off on a pleasure trip.

Louvie P. Swett won the half-mile open bicycle race at Lewiston Saturday and received as a prize a gents' travelling case valued at about two dollars. After finding that he had been "roasted" all round, and his prize was worth less than the third prize, fastened it by a string to his wheel and dragged it about the streets of Lewiston, and finally left it with his friends to be admired by all lovers of fair play. He also got second place in the quarter mile race.

The Bates College ball club came up Saturday and gave the South Paris team a lesson in ball playing, batting Smith completely out of the box. The Bates pitcher kept the Paris boys guessing for nine innings and finally rewarded them with one goose egg apiece. Score 12 to 0. It is only fair to state that the South Paris club played in hard luck.

Thede Thayer was in Shelburne selling horses Tuesday.

Mary Taylor and Katie Ellis went to Old Orchard Tuesday to work at the Hotel Fiske.

Game warden Swasey of Canton was in town recently looking after the birds egg thieves.

W. B. Young of Mass. is at his brother's, C. A. Young's, where he will spend the summer. The firm of Young Bros., horse breeders, have got settled in their new quarters at the Williams place, and any one who likes to see a good horse will do well to look over their stock.

Rev. T. J. Ramsdell is gaining slowly after his recent illness.

L. S. Billings has got the frame up for his new house, which will make a fine addition to our village.

John F. Plummer and Henry Record went to Portland Tuesday.

James Cole had three fingers and a thumb sawed off in the sled factory Thursday forenoon.

PORTER DISTRICT.—Mrs. C. A. Harriman with her brother, S. C. Bicknell, from Brockton, Mass., are at their father's, A. D. Bicknell's.

James Porter of Portland is stopping at his uncle's, Franklin Porter.

WHITTEMORE DISTRICT.—Grass promises a good hay crop.

Bessie Colby is teaching school of on Stearns' Hill.

Cattle and horses that are in pastures are being badly tormented by the moose fly.

Mrs. Charity Cooper has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo W. Cook, at So. Paris.

Mae G. Colby has been engaged by a lady as traveling companion for the summer. She went to Boston last week to join the lady on her journey.

During the heavy thunder storm of Sunday evening, June 11, the barn of Nathan Maxim was struck by lightning and a horse killed. The horse was one of a span owned by Mr. Maxim.

Stony Brook Lodge, N. E. O. P., No. 181 of So. Paris, held their regular meeting June 16, for the election of officers for the ensuing term. The following were elected: Warden, F. L. Starbird; vice warden, Cassie Starbird; recording secretary, E. H. Marshall; financial secretary, P. E. Wheeler; treasurer, A. H. Jackson; chaplain, Persis D. Swan; guide, Eli Swan; guardian, F. A. Briggs, sentinel, E. B. Dean; trustee, P. E. Wheeler. New members are being added at almost every meeting. There will be an extra meeting held June 24 as there is work to come before the meeting.

During the thunder shower last Monday night large hail stones fell here.

Wild strawberries are ripe in some places here.

ALBANY.

Last week several from here went of for an outing. C. L. Johnson and Henry Cummings with three others from Waterford spent several days at Four Ponds in Byron in pursuit of trout, of which they captured about a bushel. They report a splendid time. They stopped at the Byron gold diggings and saw them wash the gold from the soil of the river bank. The diggers seem to think they are close on to the pot that has run over with the precious metal. From there they came down to the new city, Rumford Falls, which they say would surprise any one that has not seen Rumford Falls for a year or two.

Saturday Abel Andrews and Parker Flint and others went to Large Brook in Gilead. They caught over six hundred trout.

Dr. Geo. H. Hazelton of Norway assisted by Dr. E. C. Walker of North Norway performed an operation upon W. F. York of this town last Monday, taking two large tumors from his neck, having to lay the neck open from the ear to the collar bone, making an opening nine inches in length. The tumors were attached to both the wind-pipe and the jugular vein, but were successfully removed and the patient is doing well. No ether used, but the doctors injected something that killed the pain so the patient had his senses and talked with the doctors while they were at work.

Today we are called to record the sad news of the death of Theron J. Cummings, one of our young men cut down in the prime of life. He was confined to his bed for only four days. He is one of a family of thirteen children, eight of whom are living, two of them in the West. He leaves an aged mother who seemed to lean on him as a staff in her old age. He was a member of Oxford Lodge, I. O. O. F., and a respected citizen.

Harvie Brown of Bethel is calling on his uncle here at the Corner. He comes and goes on a bicycle.

William Grover has sold the Parsonage farm, so called, to Charles Grover. Business is really booming at the Corner. Horses and land sale daily.

J. F. Bird says he has a letter from his daughter, who lives at Biddeford, informing him that they had a little daughter appear at their house that would soon call him grandpa.

HEATH'S CORNER.—The sewing circle meets with Mrs. Dollie Tyler this week Wednesday.

The farmers in this vicinity are mostly done planting.

Nelson Mills is making a lot of very pretty baskets for Geo. Mills of Massachusetts.

A. L. Tyler has been quite poorly the past few days.

Grass is looking very light here.

There is to be a 4th of July Ball at Lovell at the American House Hall Tuesday evening.

BETHEL.

The two Misses Gibson, Ellen and Jennie, arrived home from Colorado Wednesday afternoon. They stopped over at the World's Fair one week and with eyes wide open, very little escaped their attention. They came by way of Montreal and Boston. The people of Bethel welcome them and their home is a happy place to call.

Doctor Fernald's black stallion Owoissa is in fine condition and has been harnessed to sulky but three times this season. The last time he was harnessed he trotted a mile at Riverside Park in 2.33½ and the last half in 1.13. He has produced some very fine colts in this community. The doctor says Tommy F. is in good condition and is very fast.

Died in Bethel June 17th of dropsy Leonard Whitney, aged about 70 years.

Major Hastings has sunk a well and put in a pump in Woodland Cemetery near his lot.

Harry L. Swan is on his way to Bethel from California. He expects to reach Bethel the 28th of this month.

Eulalia, the Spanish Infanta, is having a glass dress wove in Machinery Hall World's Fair, the cloth of which will cost three thousand dollars.

Calvin Bisbee and wife returned from the World's Fair Tuesday, and say the half never has been told.

Mr. Merriman and Herbert C. Rowe will leave the World's Fair for Montreal via. Niagara Falls and St. Lawrence River Friday morning of this week, passing through the famous Lackine Rapids. They will probably visit Quebec before they return.

Gilbert Mills of West Bethel cut his foot badly with an ax this week Wednesday and was brought to Bethel to have it dressed. Our doctors were all away, so he had to wait several hours before it was dressed.

There are no bad after effects from Dr. Drake's method of extracting teeth. He will be at the Bethel House Friday, June 30th.

Entrances for bicycle races July 4th, entries to be made to S. N. Buck. Not less than 5 to enter 3 to start. Horse races open to all horses wherever raised. All entries to be made with the Secretary on or before the preceding Wednesday. Admission 25 cts.; carriages 25 cts. E. M. Walker secretary.

The McGibeny Family will give a concert in Opera Hall this Friday, June 23. This company are highly spoken of by the press everywhere. There are 10 musicians and a rare treat may be expected. Reserved seats at E. C. Rowe's. Popular prices.

The Shepard Family, 8 in number, will give one of their grand musical entertainments—entire new program—at Odeon Hall, Bethel, Wednesday evening, June 28. Reserved seats at Wiley's. It will be remembered that the Shepards have visited Bethel several times and always draw a full house. The best part of our community enjoy a great treat listening to this wonderful family of artists. Popular prices.

Now is the time to buy a watch. Buy it at the special sale of watches at D. C. Philbrook's, Bethel. Watches of every description at lowest prices. Also every thing else in the jewelry line.

GROVER HILL.—Leonard Whitman, an aged and respected citizen, died Sunday night at the residence of his son, A. L. Whitman. Mr. W. has been sick for a long time, and for a few weeks past has been a great sufferer.

Alfred Blake and family from New Hampshire are visiting friends in this section the present week.

Mrs. E. C. Barnard is at her father's for a few days.

Levi Bartlett has a nice yearling colt in N. A. Stearns' pasture.

Marion Bennett and Winifred Browne will return home this week from Douglass Seminary.

Martha Browne is coming home this week for a few weeks vacation.

Olin F. Pingree while engaged in cutting poplar for E. J. Mains, cut his leg very badly about half way between the knee and ankle.

D. M. Grover has commenced to build his new barn.

G. A. Whitman of Bryant's Pond was here to attend the funeral of his aged uncle, Leonard Whitman, last Tuesday.

Dr. O. F. Whitman of Lewiston was in town this week.

Linda M. Bennett is a little better.

Bertha Bennett entertained company from Mechanic Falls last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maybery are going to Paris and Norway the last of the present week.

Mrs. Wheeler's sister, Mrs. Libby, was with her quite recently.

Miss Bessey who is teaching in Mason was at A. L. Whitman's this week.

PORTER.

Carrie Round has been spending a few days with her relatives at Cornish.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Colcord were guests at Harrison Guptill's on Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda Stanley of Boston, and Mrs. Fred Small of Cornish, spent a day at D. A. Colcord's last week.

Elmer Norton, who works at Boston, has been here on a short visit to see his children, who live at his mother's.

Mrs. Abbie Davis and her daughter, of East Hiram, recently visited at her brother's, Richard Morton's.

Charles Ridlon has been on the sick list, but we are glad to learn he is out again.

D. Clinton Durgin, who worked at Lower Bartlett, N. H., has been spending a few days in this vicinity.

Thomaston Durgin and his brother Joseph, who have been at work on the Boston and Maine stone quarry at Madison, have finished work there and are now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Colcord were our welcome guests, one day last week.

Richard Norton was out driving with a young colt a few days ago, when one wheel of the carriage struck a rock and threw him out. He got a real "old fashioned shaking up," but no serious damage was done, as he suceeded in regaining the reins before the horse got away.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Garland, Mrs. Truman Stacy and her daughter Fannie, were guests at Mrs. Martha Norton's on Sunday last. S. L. H.

Lorenzo Courser and Mrs. Zeusial Libby were married last week, by Aaron H. Mason, esq., of Porter.

The crows are getting very knowing; they pulled up a hundred hills of corn for John Rice, after it was hoed.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Died in this place last Sunday, the 18, Mrs. Rhoda Dearborn, aged seventy-eight years. She was sick about twelve days and was a great sufferer. Her husband died five years ago. She was buried beside him in Jackson, N. H. She had no children of her own. She had brought up two girls, one is dead, the other is Mrs. Alonzo Thompson. She staid with her through the most of her sickness, also Mrs. Burnham staid with her. Mr. Libby of Boston has the care of the property. He has been telegraphed for.

One of Mrs. Thompson's little boys, aged three and a half years, while she was stopping with Mrs. Dearborn fell into a well seven feet deep and came very near being drowned. He sunk twice before they got him out. His brother, twelve years old, went in and brought him out.

A. T. Cole who is stopping in Boston was in the place looking after his farm.

Samuel Hazelton of this place is quite poorly. Mrs. S. French and Mrs. Geo. Hill are better than they were.

A lady in this place says if the Porter correspondent will draw a chalk line around her sugar barrel that the ants will not trouble her sugar, and a man in the place says tell her to put a little tar around her barrel and see them leave the sugar. W.

A thunder and hail shower passed over Buckfield about one o'clock, Tuesday morning, during which three horses owned by C. H. Gammon of East Buckfield, were killed in the pasture by lightning.

MILTON PLANTATION.

Mrs. C. A. Clifford of Rumford Falls is visiting her mother Mrs. Lapham.

Will Cole of Paris passed through this place with his thoroughbred racer last week.

Stillman More is building a very nice hen house.

F. Bryant is making extensive repairs on his farm buildings.

Ed. Andrews whose store was recently distroyed by fire, is now doing quite an extensive business in the grocery and dry goods line a room in his house geing fitted up for that purpose. He also has been enlarging his stable, Sam Merrill of Albany doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Harlow have gone to Pomroy, Iowa to visit their daughter Mrs. Wash Lovejoy where they intend to remain until September. They will also visit the worlds fair.

RUMFORD FALLS.

Two Italians were taken before Judge Morrison at Rumford, Friday, for drunkenness. One was fined $5 and cost the other $1 and cost. Both paid and were discharged.

Franklin street is being extended through from Mr. Schenck's residence to Everson's cottage about 100 rods.

Services were held in the new schoolhouse for the first time last Sunday under the auspices of the Methodist society.

Electric lights were turned on at Rumford Falls, Tuesday night. There are a number of hundred of the incandescent lights in the stores and houses, and about twenty arc lights distributed about the streets of the town.

The postal route Rumford Falls to Bryant's Pond. Rescind order of May 5, 1893, curtailing service.

WEST FRYEBURG.

West Fryeburg talent figured conspicuously at the meeting of the grange last week. Three of the contestants in a discussion were from this place. They were D. A. Ballard, Mrs. Emma Towle and B. Walker McKeen. Mr. McKeen has not been away from West Fryeburg long enough to be counted out yet. The debate was very much enjoyed but we have not learned whether the question is definitely settled. It is, "Is Woman Mentally the Equal of Man?"

Mrs. T. J. Haley visited her son, Geo. P. Haley in Wakefield, Mass., the first of the week and is expected home Saturday, accompanied by her son.

Abbie Towle, who has been teaching at Smart's Hill, closes her term this week and returns to her home.

West Fryeburg certainly furnishes her quota of schoolma'ms. There are four now in office in various parts of the town. They are: Minnie B. Farrington, Abbie Towle, Kate Hutchins and Fannie Ballard. Besides these there are Emma and Mrs. Hill who have been in the same line, and Miss Hill is a graduate of the Castine Normal School.

A sister of the new president of the N. H. College of Agriculture and the Mechanical Arts manages a farm in this place, making a specialty of the manufacture of vinegar. She is president of a flourishing literary club whose active members all are or have been the wives of farmers. Another sister of Mr. Murkland is the wife of a well-to-do Massachusetts farmer and school committee man. She has literary tastes and contributed regularly to a journal published in a neighboring city and has contributed to other periodicals occassionally both in prose and verse.

Tuesday, June 6th, there was a good attendance of the members of the Stirling Literary Club at the home of the secretary, Mrs. Hattie Jones. A miscellaneous program including an original article by Vice President Mrs. Towle was given and by urgent request Mrs. Sue Gordon read the paper read by her at the previous meeting. Four ladies representing the Library Club of Fryeburg were present and in graceful terms responded to the invitation of the president to speak. A dainty tea was partaken of by the members.

SOUTH ALBANY.

J. W. Dresser and family recently made a short visit at Norway, among relatives and friends.

Andrew Jordan of Harrison, was this way last week, buying lambs.

Austin Hutchinson started for Lewiston with a drove of cattle, last Monday. He was back the last of the week, looking for more.

J. D. Horr is having some work done inside his house, making two fine rooms. Mr. Sargent of Lovell, is doing the work.

Oliver McAllister recently bought a heifer of Pliny Henly; also one of John Lord.

Mrs. Lydia Jordan passed away Thursday the 15th, at the advanced age of 93 years. She leaves five sons to mourn her loss.

HARRISON.

Monday morning the whistle at the chair factory was heard after a week's outing.

Business rushing at the coat shop. Smith wears a huge smile, but public observation cries that over-care is telling on him.

Summer company is scarce to come under public observation thus far in our village.

Deacon Blake remains in feeble health.

C. S. Whitney is very busy as usual.

Talk about enterprise. Our village stands first for energetic men according to its population of any in the State. Just look at the patent granted to the owners and manufacturers of the Spaulding & Eaton Feathering Rowlock. It is in the hands of experts on trial. More anon.

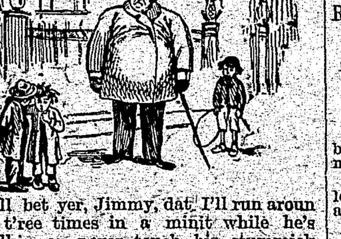
It was our pleasure on Monday to go rowing with a small company across Long lake, a distance of two miles more or less, to the beautiful Glines grove on the banks of this lake. From thence to Bluff Point and down still further to the Cape and Sandbar fishing ground and cottage. After resting awhile we walked the sandbar near the water's edge and discovered a box, and having the curiosity to know more respecting this box a lady turned it upside down when to her horror she discovered a spotted snake nicely cuddled up. It voluntarily raised its head, showing its tongue frightfully, and according as the lady made tracks in the sand, he forgot the looks of footprints. We started for dinner at the grove where we met Mr. Glines in his hospitable way. After partaking of a refreshing dinner, we visited the ladies riding park, lawn tennis and croquet grounds, also the seats all through the grounds, together with the ground of hitch posts for 50 horses more or less, and more particularly the beautiful brook which flows through this grove. Altogether it was a most pleasing outing for all. Even if we caught no fish, after pulling in our hooks a large lot came under our boat. At five o'clock we left the grove for our home across the mighty deep.

On Saturday evening the Band boys gave a dance at Glines grove which was well attended considering the threatening weather.

We noticed about 12 o'clock on Tuesday one of landlord Kneeland's company carried home a large string of fish taken from Long lake.

The S. of T. Division are about to deliver up their charter, after dragging along for more than a year with a few in number. And the same with the Naples Division.

A Fat Wager.



"I'll bet yer, Jimmy, dat I'll run aroun him t'ree times in a minit while he's a-walkin an never touch his stummick wunst."—Life.

NORTH BRIDGTON.

Mrs. Sylvia Smith is very ill with heart trouble.

Mrs. S. E. Whiting is visited by her niece, Phebe Heath of Norway.

L. E. Monk and wife of South Paris made a flying visit to relatives here the last of the week.

Mrs. Wallace Sanborn has been very ill but is more comfortable.

W. W. Peabody is spending a few days at F. H Brown's

Charles Mackay and family have moved into their house on the Sweden road.

Rev. N. Lincoln and wife are spending his vacation with their daughter Mrs. F. O. Chadbourne. For many years Mr. Lincoln was pastor of the church here and their many friends are always glad to welcome them.

C. P. Pingree of Albany was in town last week and his wife and little daughter returned with him, after having spent three weeks at Mrs. Pingree's parental home.

Mrs. James Monk is visiting relatives here.

Mabelle Whitehouse has been home from Portland on a visit.

The ladies' circle met with Mrs. F. O Chadbourne the 21st.

On the afternoon and evening of June 1st Mrs. S. E. Whiting celebrated her fifty-third birthday by entertaining a large party of her friends. Among those present were Rev. A. G. Fitz and wife, H. A. Hall and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glines, Mrs. R. T. Kitson, Mrs. F. H. Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Glines, Mrs. G. A. Cushman, Mrs. J. B. Martin, Prof. A. C. Dresser, Misses Beal, Kemp, Wadsworth, Horr, Hall, Hamlin, Davis. Messrs Pottle, Hall, Akers, Nutting and many others. At 6 o'clock the guests were seated at a bountifully loaded table. The presents received by Mrs. Whiting were many and useful, consisting of glass, china, silver and other articles.

Commencement at Bridgton Academy Wednesday and Thursday next. Essays the afternoon of the 28th. Lecture by Mrs. Mary A. Livermore in the evening. Class parts Thursday afternoon and concert in the evening.

Thursday forenoon the 29th Ingals Hall will be dedicated and presented to the trustees by Hon. M. E. Ingalls the donor. Exercises will further consist of addresses, by Mr. Smith of N. Y. City, Mrs Jennie Bodge Johnson and Mrs. Ida Brown Spofford all former students of the Academy.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Rev. Mr. Bradeen of Cobb Divinity School supplied the pulpit at the F. B. Church last Sabbath.

Mrs. Sarah Bean is away on a visit to Auburn.

Miss Augusta Lovewell is at home on a vacation from Stevens Home School at New Gloscester where she is teaching.

Wm. F. Smith has bought the Hemlock timber on Mrs. S. P. Morton's farm and has a crew of men peeling bark.

Edward C. Loring has gone to Portland.

Fernald Keen has clapboarded and painted the front of his barn.

The steam saw mill owned by Andrews & Howe at the foot of Pleasant Pond was burned Friday night the men had left the mill after completing the days work and the fire was discovered about half an hour after. Estimated loss 1,000 no insurance. The mill will be rebuilt this fall as a large amount of lumber remains to be sawed.

BIRTHS.

In Oxford, May 26, to the wife of B. H. Bonney, a son.

In Byron, June 10, to the wife of Obed Wilson, a son.

In Dixfield Center, June 12, to the wife of Will Durell, a son.

In Denmark, June 16, to the wife of Geo. W. Moulton, a daughter.

In Denmark, June 2, to the wife of Will Freeman, a son.

In Denmark, June 12, to the wife of Fred Alexander, a daughter.

In Buckfield, June 16, to the wife of Scott Briggs, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

In Norway, June 18, by Rev. C. E. Angell, Fred A. Cole and Mrs. Lilian J. Evans.

In Norway, June 18, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. B. S. Rideout, Dana McAllister of Lovell, and Georgia McAllister of Norway.

In Bethel, June 14, by Rev. F. E. Barton, D. E. Edwards of Caribou, and Alforetta A. Farwell, of Bethel.

In Hebron, June 14, by Rev. S. D. Richardson, Laforest W. Whitman and Dora L. Foster, both of Hebron.

In Peru, June 4, by Rev. W. W. Carver, Daniel E. Hames and Rhoda Whitney, both of Dixfield.

In Franklin Plantation, June 8, by Rev. A. C. Abbot, Herbert L. Jordan and Addie M. Lunt, both of Peru.

In Canton, June 10, by C. O. Holt, esq., Ivis M. Raymond and Lilla M. Skillen, both of Peru.

In Peru, June 12, by Rev. W. W. Carver, Milo Mitchell of Mexico, and Ora M. Edmunds of Roxbury.

In Lovell, June 7, by Rev. Wm. D. Sanbrook, George A. Libby, of Bridgton and Mabel Parker of Lovell.

In Rockland, June 14, by Rev. C. W. Bradlee, Harry A. Whitman of Paris, and Cora E. Beverage of Rockland.

In Roxbury, June 4, by S. M. Locke, esq., Burkett L. Randlett and Florence E. George, both of Roxbury.

In Lewiston, June 14, by Rev. D. V. Gwilym, J. Otis Swift of Paris, and Daisy B. Peabody of Lewiston.

In West Sumner, June 15, by Rev. F. R. Remick, B. W. Kimball of Bethel, and Anna Berry of West Sumner.

DEATHS.

In Gilead, June 18, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Pike, aged 13 days.

In Albany, June 15, Mrs. Lydia, widow of Thomas J. Jordan, aged 93 years.

In Peru, May 16, Mrs. Ella E. Oldham, aged 37 years, 3 months and 14 days.

In North Paris, June 3, Murilla Cole, aged about 5 years.

In Buckfield, June 18, Capt. Wm. Brown, aged 76 years.

In Albany, June 21, Theron Cummings, aged 34 years, 5 months and 16 days.

In Bethel, June 17, Leonard Whitney, aged about 70 years.

Hebron Academy Anniversary.

There was a large attendance at the Baptist church Hebron, Sunday forenoon to listen to the sermon before the graduating class of Hebron Academy, by Rev. George Bullen, D. D., of Newton Theological Seminary. The sermon was from the text, "But the word of God is not bound."

In the afternoon the pastor, Rev. A. R. Crane, D. D., baptized six—a young man and five young ladies, and at the evening meeting, which was one of great interest, they received the hand of fellowship and united with the church. All but one are members of the school.

The examination of the classes commenced Monday morning, Judge Bonney of Portland, Rev. B. F. Lawrence of Buckfield and Rev. S. D. Richardson of Hebron being present. In the afternoon the number was increased by the addition of Rev. A. N. Dewey of Westbrook and Mrs. Noyes of Portland, of the committee who had arrived.

Monday evening occurred the prize debate, the question being: Resolved that the annexation of the Sandwich Islands to the United States is desirable. Affirmative, C. E. Herrick, E. E. Austin; negative, DeLafayette Flint, H. M. Bisbee, A. J. Dunton. The disputants on both sides did remarkably well.

Wednesday a large attendance witnessed the graduation exercises of the largest class with one exception in the history of the academy. The Baptist church was tastily decorated with flowers and evergreens, the class colors heliotrope and white predominating, and the class motto "Omnia Bornus Buna Sanit," clearly visible. Rev. A. N. Dewey of Westbrook addressed the class. Following is the programme and also name and residence of each member of the junior graduating class of '93.

Salutatory..........Ernest E. Austin, Peru
Self Knowledge......Agnes M. Sutten, Turner
A Bond of Love......Perley C. French, Oxford
Our True Teachers..........
Arlena F. Russell, Livermore
The Growth of Character,..........
M. Lida Abbott, Byron
What of the Morrow..........
Harry M. Heald, North Buckfield
Stones..........Belle L. Holt, North Turner
Friendship..........J. Elmer Warren, Buckfield
The Power of Music, Mary E. Bryant, Sumner
The Restriction of Immigration..........
Paul H. Soule, South Freeport
Character and Reputation..........
Annie V. Bearce, Hebron
Foot Ball....Hannibal H. Chapman, W. Bethel
Joan of Arc..........Mary L. Bisbee, Buckfield
*Presentation of Class Gift..........
Arthur U. Tyler, Grafton
Historical Beacons..........
C. Blanche Walker, Mechanic Falls
Seventeenth Century New Englanders..........
Lester S. Weston, Harrison
Overcoming Difficulties..........
Vena L. Richards, Mexico
The Rise of Woman..........
Hortense B. Bradford, Mechanic Falls
†The Supremacy of Concious..........
Sumner Bangs, Norway
Words..........Iva M. Russell, Livermore
Class History.....DeLafayette Flint, Augusta
Class Prophecy, Mary L. Spaulding, Buckfield
Influence and Valedictory..........
Hattie B. Long, Tennant's Harbor.
Presentation of Diplomas.

*Delivered at reception.
†Special.

Diplomas were given each graduate by Judge Bonney of Portland, president of the board of trustees. The class officers are:

President, E. Elmer Austin; vice president, Paul H. Soule; secretary and treasurer, Hattie B. Long; committee of arrangements, J. Elmer Warren, D. L. Flint, Harry M. Heald. Lida Abbott, Hortense B. Bradford.

DENMARK.

John Weston and F. W. Thomas of Fryeburg are having the poplar peeled on Boston Hill lot in Denmark. Thomas Willet of Lewiston has taken the job and now has twenty-two men at work.

Thomes & Harmon have commenced to draw wood and spool strips to the depot at Brownfield.

Edwin Sanderson and wife of Wakefield, Mass., are visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Witham and friends in town. After visiting friends here they will go to Minneapolis, Minn.

Sabbath-school was organized at East Denmark last Sabbath, with Rev. Mr. Witham Supt.

Rev. Mr. Morrrison preached at the Universalist church last Sunday at 4½ o'clock p. m.

Rev. W. Randall of Andover, Mass., preached at the Congregational church last Sabbath and will during the summer months, at 10 a. m. Sabbath-school at 12 m.

EAST PERU.

Edith Childs who has been in poor health the past winter is improving.

Mr. Wheeler of Weld and Mr. Carver of West Peru have been holding meetings in district No. 1.

Edith Curtis is at home on a visit from Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Daily of Canton visited at A. S. Holman's last week.

Manderville Holman will preach at the school-house in district No. 1, June 18th.

E. M. Howard and wife visited relatives at Livermore last week.

NORTH NEWRY.

Mrs. Mary Flint is working at the hotel for S. A. Eames.

C. Thompson's sister and husband are visiting them.

Rev. Mr. Roper preached a very interesting sermon at the Branch last Sunday.

Wallace Kilgore is home from the West on a visit.

Hattie Littlehale has retuaned to Portland.

W. D. Kilgore is progressing finely on his house.

Mrs. S. P. Jewett and children are boarding at Fred Henderson's.

The roads are very much improved since the recent labor.

There was a party at J. F. Littlehale's last week. A very pleasant time.

Fred Henderson has purchased a new top carriage.

Fishing is very good here this season we should judge by the number of fishing parties.

Several attended the dance at the Corner Tuesday night.

Arrivals at Poplar Hotel: A. S. Ladd, wife and daughter, A. Webb, Dodge and friend.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

Wm. H. Stickney has been to Boston the past ten days, but returned on Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Stickney and Isabelle attended the commencement exercises at Kent's Hill.

Whitman Stickney graduated at Kent's Hill, and is at home for a short vacation.

Miss Buckman of Columbia Falls, is stopping with Miss Stickney, and has a music class at East Brownfield, and expects to have another at Hiram.

Frank McLucus was brought home the past week, sick with typhoid fever. He has been at work on the railroad, near Portland.

Mrs. Henry Bartlett has been very sick for several weeks.

Westley Colby is home from Boston on a vacation.

Hannah and Flora Gatchell are stopping with friends at East Baldwin.

The road agent has purchased a road machine for a trifle over two hundred dollars, and has been at work in this part of the town, and it is thought by many to do very good work.

The Cong'l circle meets with Mrs. Eben Rounds this week.

DIXFIELD.

Lou Wentworth has his new house nearly ready for occupancy.

Charles Lovejoy has gone to Providence, R. I., to visit his wife, who is being treated at a hospital there.

Dr. E. S. Johnson of Farmington made a professional visit in town, Friday.

Susan Hall has gone to Portland to be treated at the Maine General Hospital.

Jamie Holland is at work in the grist-mill.

The Merrill Stowell and Colcord Spool Co. have bought Alex Holman's spool stock.

Geo. Mitchell has gone to Roxbury to visit his brother.

Mrs. Will Marble has a night-blooming-cereus with four buds on it.

Land Conveyances.

EASTERN.

J. F. STANLEY, Register, Paris, Me.

ALBANY.—J. P. Kimball to C. Grover $200; E. L. Leavitt to J. P. Kimball, 200; F. P. Stanley to C. Grover, 150; A. S. Bean to I. M. Kenerson, 490.

BETHEL.—P. Holt to T. S. Burk, $400.

DIXFIELD.—C. M. Lovejoy to C. H. Kidder, $1600; C. H. Kidder to H. S. White, 1600.

GILEAD.—F. M. Coffin to A. M. Whitman, $25.

HARTFORD.—W. F. Fuller to D. M. Jennings, $600.

MILTON PL.—A. Stearns to A. M. Roberts, $155; W. P. Andrews to E. Andrews, 300.

NORWAY.—E. M. Rowe et al. to F. H. Noyes, $1900.

OXFORD.—J. Danforth to B. H. Bonney, $300; H. E. Hodgdon to A. J. Andrews, 300; E. A. Hilborn to A. D. Thayer, 300.

PARIS.—A. Taylor to Wm. R. Henry, $155; H. E. Humphrey to M. E. Stevens, 50; M. A. Stevens to N. L. Marshall, 300.

ROXBURY.—H. Ladd to J. R. Ladd, $25.

SUMNER.—C. Abbott to C. M. Bisbee, $1.00.

WOODSTOCK.—A. M. Jackson to M. M. Hathaway, $125; G. G. Richardson to J. Lovejoy, 1.00.

Jeffrey Parsons has been appointed postmaster at West Minot, vice Gideon Bearce.

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MISS BEAL, of the Bangor Business College, will be in Norway through July and August, and will instruct classes in shorthand and typewriting, should sufficient encouragement be given.

— TERMS: —
SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING, 30 Lessons, (or thirty-five cents per lesson.) $10.00
TYPEWRITING ALONE (1 hour practice per day), per Week. .75
Evening Classes.
20 LESSONS, (three per week), 6.50

All those desiring to take up the study, please leave names with T. L. Webb, Blue Store, before July 1st. For further particulars, apply to MISS MARY E. BEAL, Bangor Business College, Bangor, Me. 24-26

Watchman Wanted

A Night Watchman wanted. Apply at once at the Shoe Factory of
B. F. SPINNEY & CO.,
1w Norway, Me.

NORWAY, June 20, 1893.
This is to forbid all persons picking Berries on my land at North Norway. They are sold to C. C. Hussey. (25-27) M. J. BENNETT.*

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Norway Branch Railroad will be held at the office of Freeland Howe, on Tuesday, July 4, 1893, at one o'clock p. m.
25-26 FREELAND HOWE, Clerk.

4th of July!
A GLORIOUS
CELEBRATION
—AT—
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ONE FAIR for Round Trip on Maine Central & Grand Trunk Railroads. Tickets Good July 3d, 4th and 5th inclusive.

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National Salute and Ringing of Bells at Sunrise, Noon and Sunset.
7 a. m.—Parade of Fantastics.
9 a. m.—Greased Pole Match, Greased Pig Race, Sack Race and Band Concert.
10 a. m.—Grand Parade of Military, Firemen, and Uniformed Organizations.
2 p. m.—Balloon Assension by one of the Largest Balloons in the World.
2.30 p. m.—Contests by Firemen, Hand Tub Matches and Hose Reel Races.
For First-Class Hand Tub Throwing Farthest Stream, First Prize, $115; Second Prize, $50.
For Second-Class Hand Tub Throwing Farthest Stream, First Prize $115; Second prize $50.
Hose Reel Race under Regulation Rules. First Prize $115. Second Prize $50.
All Prizes Paid in Cash.
4 p. m.—Base Ball Game by two of the Best Clubs in New England League, Lewistons vs. Portlands.
8 p. m.—Band Concert and Grand Fireworks Display. 25-26

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Buy a Good
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The Andrews Horse.

This Horse is a dapple gray, 6 years old, weighing 1350. Sire, an imported Percheron and out of a Morgan mare.

This Horse will make the season of 1893, at the stable of
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They are black and white, pink, green and blue;
Come in, we would like to show them to you.

We've undervests, with sleeves short and long,
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E. N. SWETT, Manager.

THE THREE LIONS.

By H. RIDER HAGGARD.

CHAPTER I.



"My word, I did feel queer."

The story which is narrated in the following pages came to me from the lips of my old friend, Allan Quatermain, or Hunter Quatermain, as we used to call him in South Africa. He told it to me one evening when I was stopping with him at the place he bought in Yorkshire. Shortly after that the death of his only son so unsettled him that he immediately left England, accompanied by two companions, who were fellow voyagers of his, Sir Henry Curtis and Captain Good, and has now utterly vanished into the dark heart of Africa. He is persuaded that a white people, of whom he has heard rumors all his life, exists somewhere on the highlands in the vast, still unexplored interior, and his great ambition is to find them before he dies.

This is the wild quest upon which he and his companions have departed, and from which I shrewdly suspect they never will return. One letter only have I received from the old gentleman, dated from a mission station high up the Tana, a river on the east coast, about three hundred miles north of Zanzibar. In it he says they have gone through many hardships and adventures, but are alive and well, and have found traces which go far toward making him hope that the results of their wild quest may be a "magnificent and unexampled discovery." I greatly fear, however, that all he has discovered is death, for this letter came a long while ago, and nobody has heard a single word of the party since. They have totally vanished.

It was on the last evening of my stay at his house that he told the ensuing story to me and Captain Good, who was dining with him. He had eaten his dinner and drunk two or three glasses of old port just to help Good and myself to the end of the second bottle. It was an unusual thing for him to do, for he was a most abstemious man, having conceived, as he used to say, a great horror of drink from observing its effects upon the class of men—hunters, transport riders and others—among whom he had passed so many years of his life. Consequently the good wine took more effect on him than it would have done on most men, sending a little flush into his wrinkled cheeks and making him talk more freely than usual.

Dear old man! I can see him now as he went limping up and down the vestibule, with his gray hair sticking up in scrubbing brush fashion, his shriveled, yellow face and his large dark eyes that were as keen as any hawk's and yet soft as a buck's. The whole room was hung with trophies of his numerous hunting expeditions, and he had some story about every one of them, if only you could get him to tell them. Generally he would not, for he was not very fond of narrating his own adventures, but to-night the port wine made him more communicative.

"Ah, you brute!" he said, stopping beneath an usually large skull of a lion, which was fixed just over the mantelpiece beneath a long row of guns, its jaws distended to their utmost width. "Ah, you brute, you have given me a lot of trouble for the last dozen years, and will, I suppose, to my dying day."

"Tell us the yarn, Quatermain," said Good. "You have often promised to tell me, and you never have."

"You had better not ask me to," he answered, "for it is a longish one."

"All right," I said; "the evening is young, and there is some more port."

Thus adjured, he filled his pipe from a jar of coarse cut Boer tobacco that was always standing on the mantelpiece, and still walking up and down the room began:

"It was, I think, in the March of 1869 that I was up in Sikukuni's country. It was just after old Sequati's time, and Sikukuni had got into power—I forget how. Anyway I was there. I had heard that the Bapedi people had got down an enormous quantity of ivory from the interior, and so I started with a wagon load of goods and came straight away from Middelburg to try and trade some of it. It was a risky thing to go into the country so early on account of the fever, but I knew that there were one or two others after that lot of ivory, so I determined to have a try for it and take my chance of fever. I had got so tough from continual knocking about that I did not set it down at much. Well, I got on all right for awhile.

"It is a wonderfully beautiful piece of bush veldt, with great ranges of mountains running through it and round granite koppies staring up here and there, looking out like sentinels over the rolling waste of bush. But it is very hot—hot as a stewpan—and when I was there that March, which of course is autumn in that part of Africa, the whole place reeked of fever. Every morning as I trekked along down by the Oliphant river I used to creep out of the wagon at dawn and look out. But there was no river to be seen—only a long line of billows of what looked like the finest cotton wool tossed up lightly with a pitchfork.

"It was the fever mist. Out from among the scrub, too, came little spirals of vapor, as though there were hundreds of tiny fires alight in it—reek rising from thousands of tons of rotting vegetation. It was a beautiful place, but the beauty was the beauty of death, and all those lines and blots of vapor wrote one great word across the surface of the country, and that word was 'fever.'

"I had trekked from dawn till eleven o'clock—a long trek—but I wanted to get on, and then had the oxen turned out to graze, sending the voorlooper to look after them, meaning to inspan again about six o'clock and trek with the moon till ten. Then I got into the wagon and had a good sleep till half past two or so in the afternoon, when I got up and cooked some meat and had my dinner, washing it down with a pannikin of black coffee—for it was difficult to get preserved milk in those days. Just as I had finished and the driver, a man called Tom, was washing up the things, in comes the young scoundrel of a voorlooper driving one ox before him.

"'Where are the other oxen?' I asked.

"'Koos,' he said, 'koos (chief), the other oxen have gone away. I turned my back for a minute, and when I looked round again they were all gone except Kaptein here, who was rubbing his back against a tree.'

"'You mean that you have been asleep and let them stray, you villain. I will rub your back against a stick,' I answered, feeling very angry, for it was not a pleasant prospect to be stuck up in that fever trap for a week or so while we were hunting for the oxen. 'Off you go, and you, too, Tom, and mind you don't come back till you have found them. They have trekked back along the Middelburg road and are a dozen miles off by now, I'll be bound. Now, no words. Go, both of you!'

"Tom, the driver, swore and caught the lad a hearty kick, which he richly deserved, and then having tied old Kaptein up to the disselboom with a reim they got their assegais and sticks and started. I would have gone, too, only I knew that somebody must look after the wagon, and I did not like to leave either of the boys with it at night. I was in a very bad temper indeed, although I was pretty well used to this sort of occurrence, and soothed myself by taking a rifle and going to kill something.

"For a couple of hours I poked about without seeing anything that I could get a shot at, but at last, just as I was again within seventy yards of the wagon, I put up an old Impala ram from behind a mimosa thorn. He ran straight for the wagon, and it was not till he was passing within a few feet of it that I could get a decent shot at him. Then I pulled and caught him half way down the spine. Over he went, dead as a door-nail, and a pretty shot it was, though I ought not to say it. This little incident put me into rather a better temper, especially as the buck had rolled over right against the after part of the wagon, so I had only to gut him, fix a reim round his legs and haul him up.

"By the time I had done this the sun was down and the full moon was up, and a beautiful moon it was. And then there came down that wonderful hush that sometimes falls over the African bush in the early hours of the night. No beast was moving, and no bird called. Not a breath of air stirred the quiet trees, and the shadows did not even quiver; they only grew. It was very oppressive and very lonely, for there was not a sign of the cattle or the boys. I was quite thankful for the society of old Kaptein, who was lying down contentedly against the disselboom, chewing the cud with a good conscience.

"Presently, however, Kaptein began to get restless. First he snorted; then he got up and snorted again. I could not make it out, so, like a fool, I got down off the wagon box to have a look round, thinking it might be the lost oxen coming.

"Next instant I regretted it, for all of a sudden I heard an awful roar and saw something yellow flash past me and light on poor Kaptein. Then came a bellow of agony from the ox and a crunch as the lion put his teeth through the poor brute's neck, and I began to realize what had happened. My rifle was in the wagon, and my first thought was to get it, and I turned and made a bolt for it. I got my foot on the wheel and flung my body forward on to the wagon, and there I stopped as if I were frozen, and no wonder, for as I was about to spring up I heard the lion behind me, and next second I felt the brute—aye, as plainly as I can feel this table. I felt him, I say, sniffing at my left leg that was hanging down.

"My word, I did feel queer. I don't think that I ever felt so queer before. I dared not move for the life of me, and the odd thing was that I seemed to lose power over my leg, which had an insane sort of inclination to kick out of its own mere motion—just as hysterical people want to laugh when they ought to be particularly solemn. Well, the lion sniffed and sniffed, beginning at my ankle and slowly nosing away up to my thigh. I thought that he was going to get hold then, but he did not. He only growled softly and went back to the ox. Shifting my head a little I got a full view of him. He was the biggest lion I ever saw, and I have seen a great many, and he had a most tremendous black mane. What his teeth were like you can see—look there; pretty big ones, ain't they?

"Altogether he was a magnificent animal, and as I lay there sprawling on the fore tongue of the wagon it occurred to me that he would look uncommonly well in a cage. He stood there by the carcass of poor Kaptein and deliberately disemboweled him as neatly as a butcher could have done. All this while I dared not move, for he kept lifting his head and keeping an eye on me as he lifted his bloody chops. When he had cleaned Kaptein out he opened his mouth and roared, and I am not exaggerating when I say that the sound shook the wagon. Instantly there came an answering roar.

"'Heaven!' I thought, 'there is his mate!'

"Hardly was the thought out of my head when I caught sight in the moonlight of the lioness bounding along through the long grass, and after her a couple of cubs about the size of mastiffs. She stopped within a few feet of my head, and stood and waved her tail, fixed me with her glowing yellow eyes but just as I thought that all was over she turned and began to feed on Kaptein, and so did the cubs. There were the four of them within eight feet of me growling and quarreling, rending and tearing and crunching poor Kaptein's bones, and there I lay shaking with terror and the cold perspiration pouring out of me, feeling like another Daniel come to judgment in a new sense of the phrase.

"Presently the cubs had eaten their fill and began to get restless. One went around to the back of the wagon and pulled at the Impala buck that hung there and the other came around my way and began the sniffing game at my leg. Indeed he did more than that, for, my trousers being hitched up a little, he began to lick the bare skin with his rough tongue. The more he licked the more he liked it, to judge from his increased vigor and the loud purring noise he made. Then I knew that the end had come, for in another second his file-like tongue would have rasped through the skin of my leg—which was luckily pretty tough—and have got to the blood, and then there would be no chance for me. So I just lay there and thought of my sins and prayed to the Almighty, and thought that, after all, life was a very enjoyable thing.

"And then all of a sudden I heard a crashing of bushes and the shouting and whistling of men, and there were the two boys coming back with the cattle which they had found trekking along all together. The lions lifted their heads and listened, and then without a sound bounded off—and I fainted.

CHAPTER II.

"The lions came back no more that night, and by the next morning my nerves had got pretty straight again, but I was full of wrath when I thought of all that I had gone through at the hands, or rather noses, of these four lions, and of the fate of my after ox, Kaptein. He was a splendid ox, and I was very fond of him. So wroth was I that, like a fool, I determined to go for the whole family of them. It was worthy of a greenhorn out on his first hunting trip, but I did it nevertheless.

"Accordingly, after breakfast, having rubbed some oil upon my leg, which was very sore from the cub's tongue, I took the driver, Tom, who did not half like the job, and having armed myself with an ordinary double number twelve smoothbore, the first breechloader I ever had, I started. I took the smoothbore because it shot a bullet very well, and my experience has been that a round ball from a smoothbore is quite as effective against a lion as an express bullet. The lion is soft and not a difficult animal to finish if you hit him anywhere in the body. A buck takes far more killing.

"Well, I started, and the first thing I set to work to do was to try to make out whereabouts the brutes lay up for the day. About three hundred yards from the wagon was the crest of a rise, covered with single mimosa trees, dotted about in a parklike fashion, and beyond this was a stretch of open plain, running down to a dry pan, or water hole, which covered about an acre of ground and was densely clothed with reeds, now in the sere and yellow leaf. From the farther edge of this pan the ground sloped up again to a great cleft or nullah, which had been cut out by the action of water and was pretty thickly sprinkled with bush, among which grew some large trees, I forget of what sort.

"It at once struck me that the dry pan would be a likely place to find my friends in, as there is nothing a lion is fonder of than lying up in reeds, through which he can see things without being seen himself. Accordingly thither I went and prospected. Before I had got half way round the pan I found the remains of a blue vilderbeeste that had evidently been killed within the last three or four days and partially devoured by lions, and from other indications about I was soon assured that if the family were not in the pan that day they spent a good deal of their spare time there. But if there the question was how to get them out, for it was clearly impossible to think of going in after them unless one was quite determined to commit suicide.

"Now there was a strong wind blowing from the direction of the wagon across the reedy pan toward the bush clad kloof or donga, and this first gave me the idea of firing the reeds, which, as I think I told you, were pretty dry. Accordingly Tom took some matches and began starting little fires to the left, and I did the same to the right. But the reeds were still green at the bottom, and we should never have got them well alight had it not been for the wind, which got stronger and stronger as the sun got higher and forced the fire into them. At last, after half an hour's trouble, the flame got a hold and began to spread out like a fan, whereupon I got around to the farther side of the pan to wait for the lions, standing well out in the open as we stood at the copse today where you shot the woodcock.

"It was a rather risky thing to do, but I used to be so sure of my shooting in those days that I did not so much mind the risk. Scarcely had I got round when I heard the reeds parting before the onward rush of some animal. 'Now for it,' said I. On it came. I could see that it was yellow and prepared for action, when, instead of a lion, out bounded a beautiful reit-bok which had been lying in the shelter of the pan. It must, by the way, have been a reit-bok of a peculiarly confiding nature to lay itself down with the lion like the lamb of prophecy, but I suppose that the reeds were thick and that it kept a long way off.

"Well, I let the reit-bok go, and it went like the wind, and I kept my eyes fixed upon the reeds. The fire was burning like a furnace now, the flames crackling and roaring as they bit into the reeds, sending spouts of fire twenty feet and more into the air, and making the hot air dance above it in a way that was perfectly dazzling. But the reeds were still half green and created an enormous quantity of smoke, which came rolling toward me like a curtain, lying very low on account of the wind. Presently above the crackling of the fire I heard a startled roar, then another and another. So the lions were at home.

"I was beginning to get excited now, for, as you fellows know, there is nothing in experience to warm up your nerves like a lion at close quarters, unless it is a wounded buffalo, and I got still more so when I made out through the smoke that the lions were all moving about on the extreme edge of the reeds. Occasionally they would pop their heads out like rabbits from a burrow, and then, catching sight of me standing about fifty yards out, draw them back again. I knew that it must be getting pretty warm behind them, and that they could not keep the game up for long, and I was not mistaken, for suddenly all four of them broke cover together, the old black maned lion leading by a few yards. I never saw a more splendid sight in all my hunting experience than those four lions bounding across the veldt, overshadowed by the dense pall of smoke and backed by the fiery furnace of the burning reeds.

"I reckoned that they would pass, on their road to the bushy kloof, within about five and twenty yards of me; so taking a long breath I got my gun well on to the lion's shoulder—the black maned one—so as to allow for an inch or two of motion, and catch him through the heart. I was on, dead on, and my finger was just beginning to tighten on the trigger when suddenly I went blind—a bit of reed ash had drifted into my right eye. I danced and rubbed, and got it more or less clear just in time to see the tail of the last lion vanishing round the bushes up the kloof.

"If ever a man was mad, I was that man. It was too bad, and such a shot in the open too! However, I was not going to be beaten, so I just turned and marched for the kloof. Tom, the driver, begged and implored me not to go; but, though as a general rule I never pretended to be very brave (which I am not), I was determined that I would either kill those lions or they should kill me. So I told Tom that he need not come unless he liked, but I was going, and being a plucky fellow, a Swazi by birth, he shrugged his shoulders, muttered that I was mad or bewitched and followed doggedly in my tracks.

"We soon got to the kloof, which was about three hundred yards in length and but sparsely wooded, and then the real fun began. There might be a lion behind every bush—there certainly were four lions somewhere; the delicate question was where. I peeped and poked and looked in every possible direction, with my heart in my mouth, and was at last rewarded by catching a glimpse of something yellow moving behind a bush. At the same moment from another bush opposite me out burst one of the cubs and galloped back toward the burned-out pan. I whipped around and let drive a snap shot that tipped him head over heels, breaking his back within two inches of the root of the tail, and there he lay helpless, but glaring. Tom afterward killed him with his assagai.

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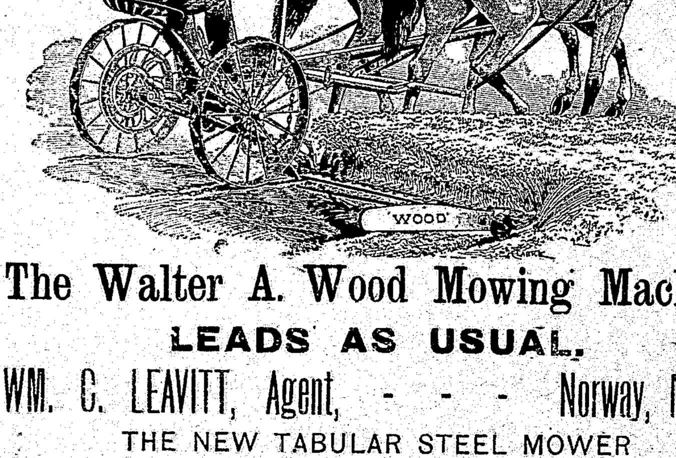
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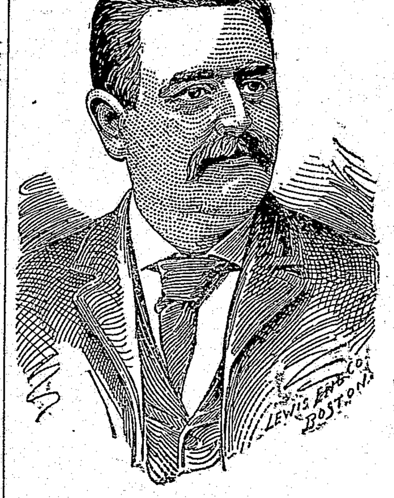
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June 25, at 10.30 a. m., Baccalaureate Sermon, Rev. Geo. M. Bodge.
June 28, at 2.00 p. m. Commencement Exercises.
" " Evening at 8 o'clock, Address, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore.
June 29, at 10.30 a. m., Dedication of Ingalls Hall.
2.30 p. m., Class Exercises.
8 o'clock, Concert.

Apollo Quartette, assisted by Miss Fay Davis and Miss Bertha Webb, Violinist.

The dedication of Ingalls Hall, Thursday forenoon, will be a notable affair. The building will be open for inspection by the public at 10 o'clock, after which the following exercises:

Prayer .... Rev. A. G. Fitz
Music .... Orchestra
Reading .... Mrs. Ida Brown Spofford
Poem .... Mrs. Jennie Bodge Johnson
Presentation of Building... Hon. M. E. Ingalls
Acceptance, Hon. E. F. Brown, Pres. Board of Trustees.
Address to Alumni, Hon. Edwin B. Smith of New York City.
Reminiscences .... Herbert M. Sylvester
Music .... Orchestra

Other distinguished alumni of the Academy have signified their intention to be present and it is hoped will participate in the exercises.

H. Price Webber, the genial actor who has pleased Norway audiences so many times, had the misfortune to have all his scenery and costumes, the accumulations of twenty years, burned at Truro, Nova Scotia, last week. It is a heavy loss with no insurance.

A Chinese baby is really the funniest looking little tot that can be imagined, and we have never seen such a lifelike portrait of one as that published in the July number of Demorest's Family Magazine, which contains "The Oriental Legation at Washington." Besides this baby of the Chinese Minister, are pictures of his wife and suite, and views of the different rooms in the Chinese Legation.

SIMPLE HOUSE GOWNS.

Made of Pale Gray Crepon, Adorned With Embroidered Chiffon and Ribbons.

The house gown is receiving very much attention at present. It is made more elaborate than the wrapper. One of the latest importations is of pale gray crepon. The gown is made with a yoke, and from the bust to the hem the crepon hangs loose and full in graceful, unconventional plaits. At the back it is tight fitting and has a demitrain. Over the shoulders the crepon has a fluted appearance and spreads out to form epaulets. They are trimmed, and the yoke is defined with a band of pale blue embroidered chiffon over a foundation of pink ribbon. From beneath the epaulet the sleeve emerges in a huge puff which ends at the elbow, finished with a deep, full flounce of venetian lace. The collar is made of a band of pink ribbon veiled with the blue chiffon.



MORE ELABORATE THAN WRAPPERS.

Another fascinatingly simple house gown is now made in the empire style of robin red, silk warp cashmere. The material is shirred onto the tiniest of yokes and hangs very straight, occasionally falling into the lines of a plait. At the back is a watteau plait. Over the bust are crossed black velvet ribbons, which tie in a butterfly bow in the center. The epaulet, which never fails to appear, is not very conspicuous in this gown. It falls just a trifle over the shoulder. It is made of the cashmere very full, and its fluted edge is defined with black velvet ribbon. The sleeve is full above the elbow and tapers toward the wrist, where it is finished with a band of velvet.

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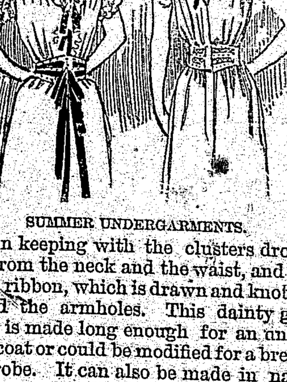
Shoulder blankets for children are made of soft, white baby flannel or cashmere, either hand embroidered or edged with buttonholed scallops with three rows of half-inch wide moire ribbon above them, or finished with a hem 2 inches wide, headed with a band of satin ribbon the same width as the hem.

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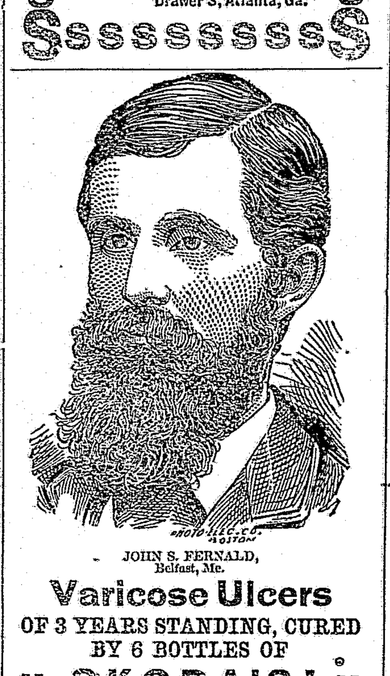
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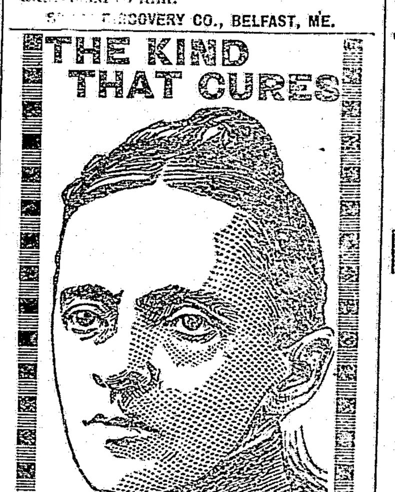
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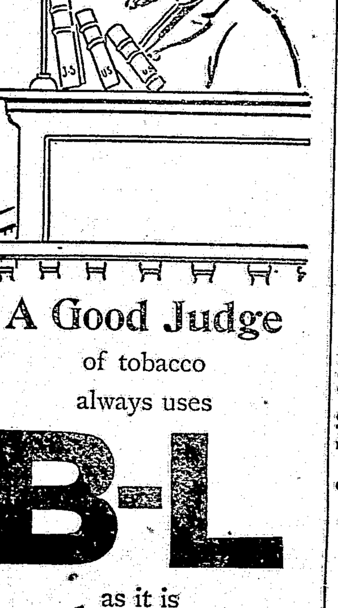
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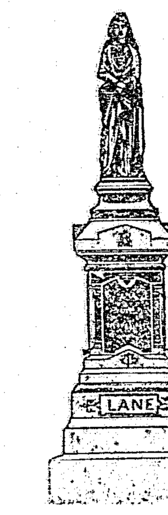
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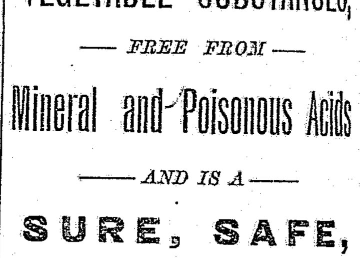
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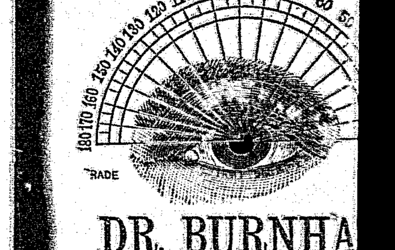
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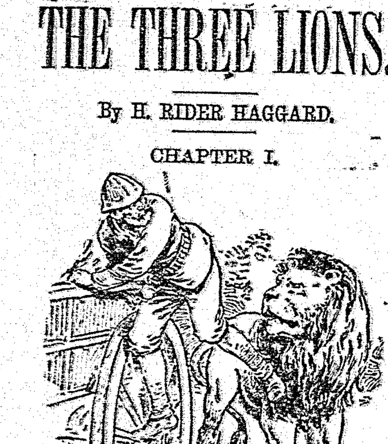
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THE THREE LIONS.

By H. RIDER HAGGARD.

CHAPTER I.



"My word, I did feel queer."

The story which is narrated in the following pages came to me from the lips of my old friend, Allan Quatermain, or Hunter Quatermain, as we used to call him in South Africa. He told it to me one evening when I was stopping with him at the place he bought in Yorkshire. Shortly after that the death of his only son so unsettled him that he immediately left England, accompanied by two companions, who were fellow voyagers of his, Sir Henry Curtis and Captain Good, and has now utterly vanished into the dark heart of Africa. He is persuaded that a white people, of whom he has heard rumors all his life, exists somewhere on the highlands in the vast, still unexplored interior, and his great ambition is to find them before he dies.

This is the wild quest upon which he and his companions have departed, and from which I shrewdly suspect they never will return. One letter only have I received from the old gentleman, dated from a mission station high up the Tana, a river on the east coast, about three hundred miles north of Zanzibar. In it he says they have gone through many hardships and adventures, but are alive and well, and have found traces which go far toward making him hope that the results of their wild quest may be a "magnificent and unexampled discovery." I greatly fear, however, that all he has discovered is death, for this letter came a long while ago, and nobody has heard a single word of the party since. They have totally vanished.

It was on the last evening of my stay at his house that he told the ensuing story to me and Captain Good, who was dining with him. He had eaten his dinner and drunk two or three glasses of old port just to help Good and myself to the end of the second bottle. It was an unusual thing for him to do, for he was a most abstemious man, having conceived, as he used to say, a great horror of drink from observing its effects upon the class of men—hunters, transport riders and others—among whom he had passed so many years of his life. Consequently the good wine took more effect on him than it would have done on most men, sending a little flush into his wrinkled cheeks and making him talk more freely than usual.

Dear old man! I can see him now as he went limping up and down the vestibule, with his gray hair sticking up in scrubbing brush fashion, his shriveled, yellow face and his large dark eyes that were as keen as any hawk's and yet soft as a buck's. The whole room was hung with trophies of his numerous hunting expeditions, and he had some story about every one of them, if only you could get him to tell them. Generally he would not, for he was not very fond of narrating his own adventures, but tonight the port wine made him more communicative.

"Ah, you brute!" he said, stopping beneath an usually large skull of a lion, which was fixed just over the mantlepiece beneath a long row of guns, its jaws distended to their utmost width. "Ah, you brute, you have given me a lot of trouble for the last dozen years, and will, I suppose, to my dying day."

"Tell us the yarn, Quatermain," said Good. "You have often promised to tell me, and you never have."

"You had better not ask me to," he answered, "for it is a longish one."

"All right," I said; "the evening is young, and there is some more port."

Thus adjured, he filled his pipe from a jar of coarse cut Boer tobacco that was always standing on the mantelpiece, and still walking up and down the room began:

"It was, I think, in the March of 1869 that I was up in Sikukuni's country. It was just after old Sequati's time, and Sikukuni had got into power—I forget how. Anyway I was there. I had heard that the Bapedi people had got down an enormous quantity of ivory from the interior, and so I started with a wagon load of goods and came straight away from Middelburg to try and trade some of it. It was a risky thing to go into the country so early on account of the fever, but I knew that there were one or two others after that lot of ivory, so I determined to have a try for it and take my chance of fever. I had got so tough from continual knocking about that I did not set it down at much. Well, I got on all right for awhile.

"It is a wonderfully beautiful piece of bush veldt, with great ranges of mountains running through it and round granite koppies starting up here and there, looking out like sentinels over the rolling waste of bush. But it is very hot—hot as a stewpan—and when I was there that March, which of course is autumn in that part of Africa, the whole place reeked of fever. Every morning as I trekked along down by the Oliphant river I used to creep out of the wagon at dawn and look out. But there was no river to be seen—only a long line of billows of what looked like the finest cotton wool tossed up lightly with a pitchfork.

"It was the fever mist. Out from among the scrub, too, came little spirals of vapor, as though there were hundreds of tiny fires alight in it—reek rising from thousands of tons of rotting vegetation. It was a beautiful place, but the beauty was the beauty of death, and all those lines and blots of vapor wrote one great word across the surface of the country, and that word was 'fever.'

"I had trekked from dawn till eleven o'clock—a long trek—but I wanted to get on, and then had the oxen turned out to graze, sending the voorlooper to look after them, meaning to inspan again about six o'clock and trek with the moon till ten. Then I got into the wagon and had a good sleep till half past two or so in the afternoon, when I got up and cooked some meat and had my dinner, washing it down with a pannikin of black coffee—for it was difficult to get preserved milk in those days. Just as I had finished and the driver, a man called Tom, was washing up the things, in comes the young scoundrel of a voorlooper driving one ox before him.

"'Where are the other oxen?' I asked.

"'Koos,' he said, 'koos (chief), the other oxen have gone away. I turned my back for a minute, and when I looked round again they were all gone except Kaptein here, who was rubbing his back against a tree.'

"'You mean that you have been asleep and let them stray, you villain. I will rub your back against a stick,' I answered, feeling very angry, for it was not a pleasant prospect to be stuck up in that fever trap for a week or so while we were hunting for the oxen. 'Off you go, and you, too, Tom, and mind you don't come back till you have found them. They have trekked back along the Middelburg road and are a dozen miles off by now, I'll be bound. Now, no words. Go, both of you!'

"Tom, the driver, swore and caught the lad a hearty kick, which he richly deserved, and then having tied old Kaptein up to the disselboom with a reim they got their assegais and sticks and started. I would have gone, too, only I knew that somebody must look after the wagon, and I did not like to leave either of the boys with it at night. I was in a very bad temper indeed, although I was pretty well used to this sort of occurrence, and soothed myself by taking a rifle and going to kill something.

"For a couple of hours I poked about without seeing anything that I could get a shot at, but at last, just as I was again within seventy yards of the wagon, I put up an old Impala ram from behind a mimosa thorn. He ran straight for the wagon, and it was not till he was passing within a few feet of it that I could get a decent shot at him. Then I pulled and caught him half way down the spine. Over he went, dead as a door-nail, and a pretty shot it was, though I ought not to say it. This little incident put me into rather a better temper, especially as the buck had rolled over right against the after part of the wagon, so I had only to gut him, fix a reim round his legs and haul him up.

"By the time I had done this the sun was down and the full moon was up, and a beautiful moon it was. And then there came down that wonderful hush that sometimes falls over the African bush in the early hours of the night. No beast was moving, and no bird called. Not a breath of air stirred the quiet trees, and the shadows did not even quiver; they only grew. It was very oppressive and very lonely, for there was not a sign of the cattle or the boys. I was quite thankful for the society of old Kaptein, who was lying down contentedly against the disselboom, chewing the cud with a good conscience.

"Presently, however, Kaptein began to get restless. First he snorted; then he got up and snorted again. I could not make it out, so, like a fool, I got down off the wagon box to have a look round, thinking it might be the lost oxen coming.

"Next instant I regretted it, for all of a sudden I heard an awful roar and saw something yellow flash past me and light on poor Kaptein. Then came a bellow of agony from the ox and a crunch as the lion put his teeth through the poor brute's neck, and I began to realize what had happened. My rifle was in the wagon, and my first thought was to get it, and I turned and made a bolt for it. I got my foot on the wheel and flung my body forward on to the wagon, and there I stopped as if I were frozen, and no wonder, for as I was about to spring up I heard the lion behind me, and next second I felt the brute—aye, as plainly as I can feel this table. I felt him, I say, sniffing at my left leg that was hanging down.

"My word, I did feel queer. I don't think that I ever felt so queer before. I dared not move for the life of me, and the odd thing was that I seemed to lose power over my leg, which had an insane sort of inclination to kick out of its own mere motion—just as hysterical people want to laugh when they ought to be particularly solemn. Well, the lion sniffed and sniffed, beginning at my ankle and slowly nosing away up to my thigh. I thought that he was going to get hold then, but he did not. He only growled softly and went back to the ox. Shifting my head a little I got a full view of him. He was the biggest lion I ever saw, and I have seen a great many, and he had a most tremendous black mane. What his teeth were like you can see—look there; pretty big ones, ain't they?

"Altogether he was a magnificent animal, and as I lay there sprawling on the fore tongue of the wagon it occurred to me that he would look uncommonly well in a cage. He stood there by the carcass of poor Kaptein and deliberately disemboweled him as neatly as a butcher could have done. All this while I dared not move, for he kept lifting his head and keeping an eye on me as he lifted his bloody chops. When he had cleaned Kaptein out he opened his mouth and roared, and I am not exaggerating when I say that the sound shook the wagon. Instantly there came an answering roar.

"'Heaven!' I thought, 'there is his mate!'

"Hardly was the thought out of my head when I caught sight in the moonlight of the lioness bounding along through the long grass, and after her a couple of cubs about the size of mastiffs. She stopped within a few feet of my head, and stood and waved her tail, fixed me with her glowing yellow eyes but just as I thought that all was over she turned and began to feed on Kaptein, and so did the cubs. There were the four of them within eight feet of me growling and quarreling, rending and tearing and crunching poor Kaptein's bones, and there I lay shaking with terror and the cold perspiration pouring out of me, feeling like another Daniel come to judgment in a new sense of the phrase.

"Presently the cubs had eaten their fill and began to get restless. One went around to the back of the wagon and pulled at the Impala buck that hung there and the other came around my way and began the sniffing game at my leg. Indeed he did more than that, for, my trousers being hitched up a little, he began to lick the bare skin with his rough tongue. The more he licked the more he liked it, to judge from his increased vigor and the loud purring noise he made. Then I knew that the end had come, for in another second his file-like tongue would have rasped through the skin of my leg—which was luckily pretty tough—and have got to the blood, and then there would be no chance for me. So I just lay there and thought of my sins and prayed to the Almighty, and thought that, after all, life was a very enjoyble thing.

"And then all of a sudden I heard a crashing of bushes and the shouting and whistling of men, and there were the two boys coming back with the cattle which they had found trekking along all together. The lions lifted their heads and listened, and then without a sound bounded off—and I fainted.

CHAPTER II.

"The lions came back no more that night, and by the next morning my nerves had got pretty straight again, but I was full of wrath when I thought of all that I had gone through at the hands, or rather noses, of these four lions, and of the fate of my after ox, Kaptein. He was a splendid ox, and I was very fond of him. So wroth was I that, like a fool, I determined to go for the whole family of them. It was worthy of a greenhorn out on his first hunting trip, but I did it nevertheless.

"Accordingly, after breakfast, having rubbed some oil upon my leg, which was very sore from the cub's tongue, I took the driver, Tom, who did not half like the job, and having armed myself with an ordinary double number twelve smoothbore, the first breechloader I ever had, I started. I took the smoothbore because it shot a bullet very well, and my experience has been that a round ball from a smoothbore is quite as effective against a lion as an express bullet. The lion is soft and not a difficult animal to finish if you hit him anywhere in the body. A buck takes far more killing.

"Well, I started, and the first thing I set to work to do was to try to make out whereabouts the brutes lay up for the day. About three hundred yards from the wagon was the crest of a rise, covered with single mimosa trees, dotted about in a parklike fashion, and beyond this was a stretch of open plain, running down to a dry pan, or water hole, which covered about an acre of ground and was densely clothed with reeds, now in the sere and yellow leaf. From the farther edge of this pan the ground sloped up again to a great cleft or nullah, which had been cut out by the action of water and was pretty thickly sprinkled with bush, among which grew some large trees, I forget of what sort.

"It at once struck me that the dry pan would be a likely place to find my friends in, as there is nothing a lion is fonder of than lying up in reeds, through which he can see things without being seen himself. Accordingly thither I went and prospected. Before I had got half way round the pan I found the remains of a blue vilderbeeste that had evidently been killed within the last three or four days and partially devoured by lions, and from other indications about I was soon assured that if the family were not in the pan that day they spent a good deal of their spare time there. But if there the question was how to get them out, for it was clearly impossible to think of going in after them unless one was quite determined to commit suicide.

"Now there was a strong wind blowing from the direction of the wagon across the reedy pan toward the bush clad kloof or donga, and this first gave me the idea of firing the reeds, which, as I think I told you, were pretty dry. Accordingly Tom took some matches and began starting little fires to the left, and I did the same to the right. But the reeds were still green at the bottom, and we should never have got them well alight had it not been for the wind, which got stronger and stronger as the sun got higher and forced the fire into them. At last, after half an hour's trouble, the flame got a hold and began to spread out like a fan, whereupon I got around to the farther side of the pan to wait for the lions, standing well out in the open as we stood at the copse today where you shot the woodcock.

"It was a rather risky thing to do, but I used to be so sure of my shooting in those days that I did not so much mind the risk. Scarcely had I got round when I heard the reeds parting before the onward rush of some animal. 'Now for it,' said I. On it came. I could see that it was yellow and prepared for action, when, instead of a lion, out bounded a beautiful reit-bok which had been lying in the shelter of the pan. It must, by the way, have been a reit-bok of a peculiarly confiding nature to lay itself down with the lion like the lamb of prophecy, but I suppose that the reeds were thick and that it kept a long way off.

"Well, I let the reit-bok go, and it went like the wind, and I kept my eyes fixed upon the reeds. The fire was burning like a furnace now, the flames crackling and roaring as they bit into the reeds, sending spouts of fire twenty feet and more into the air, and making the hot air dance above it in a way that was perfectly dazzling. But the reeds were still half green and created an enormous quantity of smoke, which came rolling toward me like a curtain, lying very low on account of the wind. Presently above the crackling of the fire I heard a startled roar, then another and another. So the lions were at home.

"I was beginning to get excited now, for, as you fellows know, there is nothing in experience to warm up your nerves like a lion at close quarters, unless it is a wounded buffalo, and I got still more so when I made out through the smoke that the lions were all moving about on the extreme edge of the reeds. Occasionally they would pop their heads out like rabbits from a burrow, and then, catching sight of me standing about fifty yards out, draw them back again. I knew that it must be getting pretty warm behind them, and that they could not keep the game up for long, and I was not mistaken, for suddenly all four of them broke cover together, the old black maned lion leading by a few yards. I never saw a more splendid sight in all my hunting experience than those four lions bounding across the veldt, overshadowed by the dense pall of smoke and backed by the fiery furnace of the burning reeds.

"I reckoned that they would pass, on their road to the bushy kloof, within about five and twenty yards of me; so taking a long breath I got my gun well on to the lion's shoulder—the black maned one—so as to allow for an inch or two of motion, and catch him through the heart. I was on, dead on, and my finger was just beginning to tighten on the trigger when suddenly I went blind—a bit of reed ash had drifted into my right eye. I danced and rubbed, and got it more or less clear just in time to see the tail of the last lion vanishing round the bushes up the kloof.

"If ever a man was mad, I was that man. It was too bad, and such a shot in the open too! However, I was not going to be beaten, so I just turned and marched for the kloof. Tom, the driver, begged and implored me not to go; but, though as a general rule I never pretended to be very brave (which I am not), I was determined that I would either kill those lions or they should kill me. So I told Tom that he need not come unless he liked, but I was going, and being a plucky fellow, a Swazi by birth, he shrugged his shoulders, muttered that I was mad or bewitched and followed doggedly in my tracks.

"We soon got to the kloof, which was about three hundred yards in length and but sparsely wooded, and then the real fun began. There might be a lion behind every bush—there certainly were four lions somewhere; the delicate question was where. I peeped and poked and looked in every possible direction, with my heart in my mouth, and was at last rewarded by catching a glimpse of something yellow moving behind a bush. At the same moment from another bush opposite me out burst one of the cubs and galloped back toward the burned out pan. I whipped around and let drive a snap shot that tipped him head over heels, breaking his back within two inches of the root of the tail, and there he lay helpless, but glaring. Tom afterward killed him with his assagai.

[To be continued.]

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She was employing a prominent Portland physician and he, too, was about to leave her when, having heard of a remarkable cure made by Strout's Elixir, advised her using it, saying, "It can at least do you no harm."

She took Strout's Rheumatic Elixir, and thus tells her story. Her letter is dated, April, 1893. She says:

"I wish to add my word of praise to the power of 'Strout's Rheumatic Elixir.' For nearly three years I had suffered so from Rheumatism that I was not able to bear my weight upon my feet, and my suffering during all this time was something terrible.

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"The effect of Strout's Rheumatic Elixer was positively and immediately beneficial. While taking my first bottle I was able to stand on my feet and walk a few steps; and before the first bottle was all taken I was able to walk a little every day. I shall continue using it and am certain I have found the medicine that fits my case, and that I shall now get strong and well to enjoy the blessings of life. Gratefully yours,

MRS. L. W. SWEETSER."

Here was a wonderful case, and is powerful proof of the intrinsic worth of Strout's Rheumatic Elixir. Do not suffer a single day longer, but go at once to your druggist and get this blessed remedy.

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The following letter from a Boston Drug House adds great weight to the evidence already published, and to our claim that Allen's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine in the market.

Office of Cheney & Neill, Wholesale Dealers in American Drugs, 15 Union street, Boston, Mass., Feb. 1, 1893.

THE ALLEN SARSAPARILLA CO., Woodfords, Me. Gentlemen: We have shipped you by steamer today, the goods you ordered, and can truly congratulate you on the high quality of the goods you are using. It is a rare case that we find a customer that is so particular as you in regard to quality, &c., but you doubtless find that it pays you to use the best goods. You have got the best formula I have ever known for a Sarsaparilla compound. I have been in the active drug business 48 years, and spent all my youth in collecting roots and herbs. I have travelled all over the country from Maine to California, and from Vermont to Mexico, hunting for these goods, and ought to be a good judge as to quality and virtue. I have supplied hundreds and perhaps thousands of medicine makers, and know the formula of a vast number of them, and I can truly say that of them all,

Allen's Sarsaparilla | 128 DOSES, 50c.

is to my mind the best as a tonic, blood purifier, and as a cure for chronic diseases. The fact that it is made exclusively from roots, herbs and barks, adds greatly to its value. With such a good article you are sure of success, and you have my best wishes.

Yours truly,

G. S. CHENEY.

Mr. Cheney is one of the best known and most reliable men in the business in New England, and his word has great weight with all who know him. This letter speaks for itself and needs no comments.

Allen Sarsaparilla Co., Woodfords, Me.

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The twelfth International Convention of the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor will be held at Montreal, July 5 to 9. Good accommodations have been secured for the Maine delegation at $1.50 per day, everything included. The Headquarters assigned to Maine is on St Lawrence St. near Roy St. V. Richard Foss, Portland, who is the Manager of the Maine delegation, having full charge of the assignment of rooms. The Grand Trunk Ry. will sell tickets to Montreal and return from any points on their line for one and one-third fares.

RUMFORD FALLS.

J. W. Buzzell has secured the contract for building the new "Falls Hill" road. Work has been under way for some little time and is progressing well. The road will be a great improvement over the present difficult route.

E. W. & F. J. Graham have the foundation laid for a new house on Penebscot street. The house will be twenty by thirty feet, two stories high.

Richard Chase is building a two-story house on Knox street.

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Bridgton Academy Graduation.

The graduating exercises will be held at Bridgton Academy from the 25th to the 29th inclusive and will be of more than the usual interest. The order of exercises for the week will be as follows:

June 25, at 10.30 a. m., Baccalaureate Sermon, Rev. Geo. M. Bodge
June 28, at 2.00 p. m. Commencement Exercises
" " Evening at 8 o'clock, Address, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore
June 29, at 10.30 a. m., Dedication of Ingalls Hall.
2.30 p. m., Class Exercises.
8 o'clock, Concert.
Apollo Quartette, assisted by Miss Fay Davis and Miss Bertha Webb, Violinist.

The dedication of Ingalls Hall, Thursday forenoon, will be a notable affair. The building will be open for inspection by the public at 10 o'clock, after which the following exercises:

Prayer .... Rev. A. G. Fitz
Music .... Orchestra
Reading .... Mrs. Ida Brown Spofford
Poem .... Mrs. Jennie Bodge Johnson
Presentation of Building... Hon. M. E. Ingalls
Acceptance, Hon. E. F. Brown, Pres. Board of Trustees.
Address to Alumni, Hon. Edwin B. Smith of New York City.
Reminiscences .... Herbert M. Sylvester
Music .... Orchestra

Other distinguished alumni of the Academy have signified their intention to be present and it is hoped will participate in the exercises.

H. Price Webber, the genial actor who has pleased Norway audiences so many times, had the misfortune to have all his scenery and costumes, the accumulations of twenty years, burned at Truro, Nova Scotia, last week. It is a heavy loss with no insurance.

A Chinese baby is really the funniest looking little tot that can be imagined, and we have never seen such a lifelike portrait of one as that published in the July number of Demorest's Family Magazine, which contains "The Oriental Legation at Washington." Besides this baby of the Chinese Minister, are pictures of his wife and suite, and views of the different rooms in the Chinese Legation.

SIMPLE HOUSE GOWNS.

Made of Pale Gray Crepon, Adorned With Embroidered Chiffon and Ribbons.

The house gown is receiving very much attention at present. It is made more elaborate than the wrapper. One of the latest importations is of pale gray crepon. The gown is made with a yoke, and from the bust to the hem the crepon hangs loose and full in graceful, unconventional plaits. At the back it is tight fitting and has a demitrain. Over the shoulders the crepon has a fluted appearance and spreads out to form epaulets. They are trimmed, and the yoke is defined with a band of pale blue embroidered chiffon over a foundation of pink ribbon. From beneath the epaulet the sleeve emerges in a huge puff which ends at the elbow, finished with a deep, full flounce of venetian lace. The collar is made of a band of pink ribbon veiled with the blue chiffon.



MORE ELABORATE THAN WRAPPERS.

Another fascinatingly simple house gown is now made in the empire style of robin red, silk warp cashmere. The material is shirred onto the tiniest of yokes and hangs very straight, occasionally falling into the lines of a plait. At the back is a watteau plait. Over the bust are crossed black velvet ribbons, which tie in a butterfly bow in the center. The epaulet, which never fails to appear, is not very conspicuous in this gown. It falls just a trifle over the shoulder. It is made of the cashmere very full, and its fluted edge is defined with black velvet ribbon. The sleeve is full above the elbow and tapers toward the wrist, where it is finished with a band of velvet.

Green Veils.

Grass green veils are the latest novelty in this line of goods and are rapidly taking the place of the dotted purple veils which were worn so much during the past season. The green veils, however, are not apt to be worn by the majority of women, for, like the purple ones, they are exceedingly trying to the complexion. If a woman has a fair, clear complexion, she can wear one becomingly. The fine embroidered veils are very dainty and pretty. These come in delicate shades of brown, pale blue, violet and gray, embroidered in white silk.

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The girl who doesn't lace tight.

The girl who prefers a cookery book to a penny novelette.

The girl who is not in the least ashamed of a healthy appetite.

The girl who doesn't think every other pretty one "makes up horribly."

The girl who doesn't pinch her feet into shoes a size and a half too small for her.

The girl who will sing under a trifle less than three-quarters of an hour's persuasion.

The girl who doesn't want to stop and stare into every other shop window she passes.

The girl who can purchase a packet of pins and a yard of calico without turning over everything in the shop.

The girl who can receive a little polite attention from a man without at once jumping to the conclusion that he's in love with her.

Crib Quilts and Shawls.

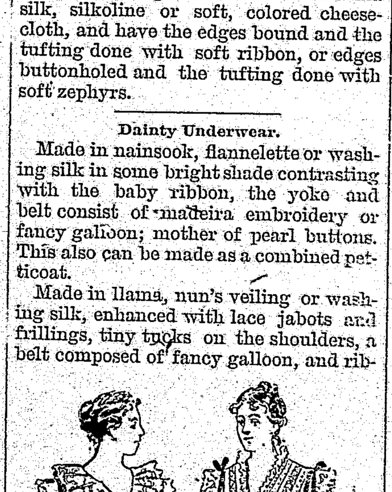
Shoulder blankets for children are made of soft, white baby flannel or cashmere, either hand embroidered or edged with buttonholed scallops with three rows of half-inch wide moire ribbon above them, or finished with a hem 2 inches wide, headed with a band of satin ribbon the same width as the hem.

Pretty crib quilts are made of china silk, silkoline or soft, colored cheesecloth, and have the edges bound and the tufting done with soft ribbon, or edges buttonholed and the tufting done with soft zephyrs.

Dainty Underwear.

Made in nainsook, flannelette or washing silk in some bright shade contrasting with the baby ribbon, the yoke and belt consist of madeira embroidery or fancy galloon; mother of pearl buttons. This also can be made as a combined petticoat.

Made in llama, nun's veiling or washing silk, enhanced with lace jabots and frillings, tiny tucks on the shoulders, a belt composed of fancy galloon, and ribbon in keeping with the clusters drooping from the neck and the waist, and the baby ribbon, which is drawn and knotted round the armholes. This dainty garment is made long enough for an under petticoat or could be modified for a breakfast robe. It can also be made in nainsook and embroidery.



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MRS. WM. H. HUNT, Readfield, Me.

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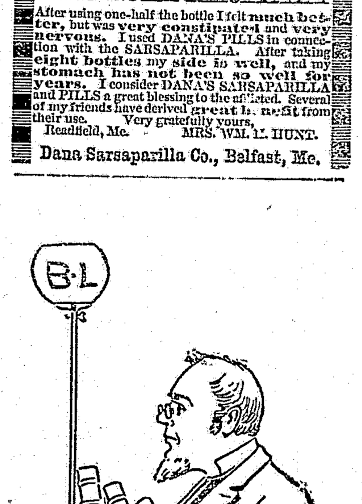
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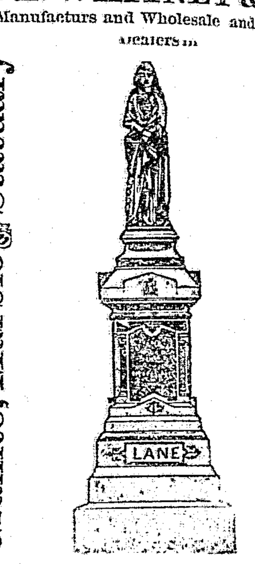
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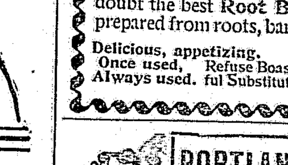
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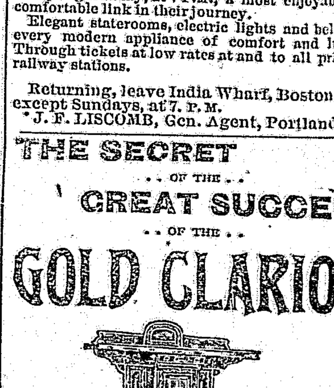
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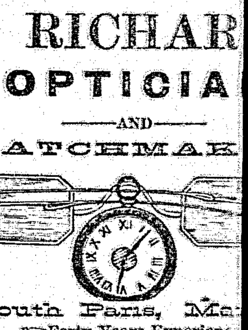
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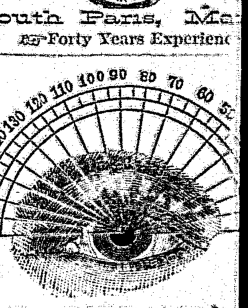
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The subscriber hereby give public ... he has been duly appointed by the ... Judge of Probate for the county of ... assumed the trust of Administrator of ... JUSTUS CHARLES, late of Fry... in said county, deceased, by giving b... law directs; he therefore requests all ... debted to the estate of said decease... immediate payment, and those who h... mands thereon to exhibit the same to ... June 6th, 1893. EDWARD E. HA...

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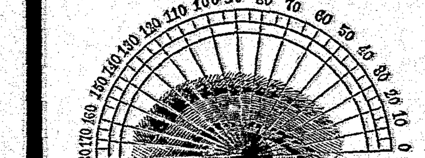
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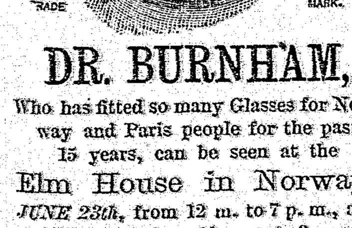
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June 7, 1893. (24-26) Dept. Sheriff.

The subscriber hereby give public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford, and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of
JUSTUS CHARLES, late of Fryeburg,
in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
EDWARD E. HASTINGS.
June 6th, 1893. (24-26)

"The Good Old State of Maine."

NOTE.—Recently while being carted over some of Nova Scotia's rough roads, our teamster entertained us with a song. He said it was a very popular song last winter in the Zeland Valley (N. H.) lumber camps where he worked. To be fully appreciated it should be heard sung by a crew of fifty or sixty lumbermen while in camp. The words are as follows:

Attention all where're I call until I do relate
My experience in the woods while in the Granite State;
Her snow clad hills and winding rills, her mountains, rocks and plains,
We find them very different in the Good Old State of Maine.

The difference in the wages, boys, is scarcely worth a dime,
For every day you cannot work you are forced to lose your time;
To pay your passage to and fro you find but little gain,
You will do as well to stay at home in the Good Old State of Maine.

In the Zeland Valley you will find seven feet of snow,
And work beneath the thermometer at 35 below;
It will average three storms a week of snow or sleet or rain,
You never find such weather in the Good Old State of Maine.

The aliens and the foreigners they flock in by the score,
The diversity of language will equal Babel's tower;
Italians, Russians, Poles and Finns, the Dutchman and the Danes,
You never find such droves as those in the Good Old State of Maine.

They figure up the thing so fine it's hard to save a stamp,
For once a month they do take stock of things about the camp,—
Stoves, pots and kettles, knives and forks, a draw shave or a plane,
You never heard of such a thing in the Good Old State of Maine.

Every night with pen and ink they figure up the cost,
The crew is held responsible for all things broke or lost,
An ax, a handle or a spade, a cant dog or a chain,
The men are never charged with tools in the Good Old State of Maine.

The boss will then address you with a loud commanding voice,
Saying, "you know the regulations, boys, therefore you have your choice:"
We know he did not make them and of him we can't complain,
We never have such regulations in the Good Old State of Maine.

The rules and regulations I have mentioned here before
Are in type written copies posted up on every door,—
To pay your board, not lose your time, and work in snow or rain,
They would call us fools to stand such rules in the Good Old State of Maine.

If you do not like the style you can go down the line,
But if you leave them in the lurch they will figure with you fine;
They will cut down your wages, charge you car fare on the train,
You never heard of such a thing in the Good Old State of Maine.

About the grub I'll give a rub of which they much deserve,
The cooks become so lazy they allow the men to starve;
It's bread and beans and beans and bread and bread and beans again,
Of grub we sometimes have a change in the Good Old State of Maine.

The beans and fish are poorly cooked, the bread is sour and old,
The beans are dry and musty, the doughnuts hard and cold;
For to undertake to eat them would give your jaws great pain,
Not the kind we mostly find in the Good Old State of Maine.

Now I'll conclude and finish, boys, and then my story end,
If I have made a statement wrong I am willing to amend;
I like the foremen of the crew, of them I can't complain,
A better crew I never knew in the Good Old State of Maine.

I bid adieu to camp and crew to proprietors and sons,
Their names are great throughout the State, they are some of the biggest guns;
I wish them all prosperity ere I return again,
I'll mend my ways and spend my days in the Good Old State of Maine.

WEST BROWNFIELD.

Diantha Sargent who has been working in Boston during the past year, is now at home on a short vacation visiting relatives and friends.

Ezra E. Eastman with a small crew of men is at work pealing poplar on the Colcord mountain.

School in district No. 11 is in session under the instruction of Isaac Drown. Mr. Brown has taught twenty terms, and is considered one of our best teachers.

J. C. Weeks is at work for Adrial Stuart, repairing his barn.

Bert Howard has moved on the Sally Michels farm where he intends to earn a livelihood by farming.

Charlie Weeks who has been very ill during the past four months is improving he thinks he will be able to resume his work in a few weeks.

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[Written for the Advertiser.]

Waterford and Artemus Ward.

Waterford Flat, the birthplace of Artemus Ward, lies between Mt. Tir'em and Keoka Lake, or as Artemus said, "It nestles between them and it will never do anything but nestle."

One time when speaking of the place he remarked it "would make a good cradle in which to rock the world." Notwithstanding his sarcastic remarks, the village has become a favorite summer resort.

The view from the Mountain is very fine. The drives are desirable, and the lake abounds in fish of various kinds, though black bass predominates.

Rev. Dr. Gibbons of Philadelphia seems to have a special way of enticing the finny tribe to seize his bait,—alas! for the poor fish,—his doom is sealed.

One of Artemus Ward's old chums, during the summer months, drives a "coach and four" from here to Bridgton, carrying summer tourist to and from the place. One day when coming between the lake and mountain, he remarked to his passengers, "The crickets and grasshoppers are all hiding under the rocks and ledges." On being asked the reason, he made the following reply: "O, they know Dr. Gibbons is expected soon, and after he comes they will have no more peace, for he will catch them for bait."

At one time he was the travelling companion of Artemus Ward. When boys they were always ready for a lark. One night they took all of a neighbor's hens from the roost, carried them to an old school-house and fastened them in. Search was made, but not a biddy could be found. At last chanticleer made his voice heard, and the flock was at once restored to its own domicile. Another time they took a sleigh ride. Passing a house they saw a boy in the dooryard, talked with him, and as he came near them Artemus grabbed him and pulled him into the sleigh and rode off with him.

These two incidents are but a sample of his pranks; never doing an injury to anyone, kind hearted, but boiling over with fun, always seeing the ridiculous side of everything.

The same vein of wit and fun seems to run through the Browne family. They are kind to a fault, think the world of their families, but a joke or a sell seems to be the order of the day with them.

If a person has the blues, the best medicine I can recommend is an evening spent in the company of half a dozen of Artemus Ward's Browne cousins, and there are a goodly number of them in this town.

The charm of their wit is in their unconsciousness of having said anything at all worth laughing at. Waterford and Artemus Ward seem to belong to each other—the name of one calls to mind the name of the other.

Some years ago I was in an adjoining town for a few weeks. One day a stranger was present at the dinner table, a German by birth. During the conversation he inquired where my home was. After being informed the hostess remarked, "She is a relative of Artemus Ward." He arose from the table, came around to me saying, "Gott in heaven bless you. I want to shake hands with you." My surprise can better be imagined than described. Many people have a reverence for their native place, and never tire of hearing or telling of the many attractions the place affords. I think I belong to the superlative degree of that class, for I have no desire, or ever had, to live in the far West or sunny South.

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NORTH LOVELL.

The York and Cumberland Christian Conference met with the church at Lovell Center the past week. There was a very small delegation from abroad on account of the New England Convention which convened the same week.

School in this district is now in session, taught by Carrie Plummer of Waterford.

Lewis Spaulding, agent for the Lewiston Journal, is canvassing this part of the State. He and his wife stopped Monday night at H. W. Palmer's.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the graduation exercises at Fryeburg.

Orin Wilson of Shelburne, N. H., has been visiting at Frank Wilson's.

Invitations have been received to attend Harvard Class Day exercises.

Heavy showers passed over here Sunday night.

Dea. Pelter McAllister bought a new carriage of Will Kilgore.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Our Nova Scotia Fishing Trip.

CHAPTER II.

The guides W. B. Harlow and C. E. Cushing bestirred themselves early in the morning. The boats, camp equipage and luggage were lashed on a truck team and were on their way to Fairy Lake by 8 o'clock. It was some 12 miles to the lake and the roads were not very bad. An hour or so later Mr. Telfer of the hotel was driving over the road to the Grafton Landing where dinner was served by the guides.

It was short work to load the two boats and we started across the chain of lakes for the Eelwier some nine miles distant. There was a heavy sea in the big lake and a few breakers came over the bow of one boat wetting some of our luggage and the writer who showed considerable nervousness as the pilot of the craft, R. P. Thompson, was inexperienced at the helm and allowed the boat to plough through some of the heavy swell somewhat quartering. An hour of hard pulling against a strong breeze brought us under the lee of an island. The crew here rested and we caught our first trout. The speckled beauty took a scarlet ibis and very shortly we had a second one.

A mile further brought us to George's Run. Here we fished and took enough trout for supper. This "run" is very short, not over 10 rods, but the water is strong and the fish seemed plenty.

A "run" is where the water of one lake runs into another lake with more or less rapidity. The trout come up from the still water of the lake and play about in this quick water and seem to be on the watch for flies and insects.

The Eelwier is the head of the seven mile river that flows between the two big lakes and here we found plenty of trout. The guides pitched the tent and made ready for night while Mr. Thompson and the writer caught a few more fish for supper and made the acquaintance of Dr. W. H. Cole of Caledonia, who with his wife were camping a little farther down on the Eelwier on the opposite bank. Our first night in camp was after the order of the usual first night—a little sleep and a good deal of wakefulness.

The four following days were devoted to fishing and fighting black flies. One was about as numerous as the other and plenty of both.

We had taken two butter firkins in which to pickle the trout we were to take home. We easily filled these tubs besides having trout three times a day. Our best fishing was at the West Run of George's Lake. We took 18 trout; 12 of them weighed 12 pounds. We were kept busy some hours. Here it was we tried bait fishing which proved that our guides told the truth when they said it was no use to fish with bait for the trout. We doubted it a little and took along with us some good fat earth worms and tried it. After patiently fishing with bait some 15 minutes we landed one trout. We changed over to a fly and went on catching fish. We used here only one fly on the cast and it mattered but little what kind or color of a fly was used. A small dark colored fly seemed to be their favorite but they would rise to most any thing.

One evening we entertained our camping friends from across the river, Dr. Cole, wife and guide. They reported having caught some 400 trout which were in pickle at the "Cole Camp."

Tea over and the lanterns arranged in the trees so as to give good light on the table our International game of whist was in order. Now the writer does not play whist and a guide was substituted and the game went on while we were entertained by the veteran David Freeman of Kempt who was guiding Dr. and Mrs. Cole. The yarns he told us as we lay by the blazing camp fire, of moose hunting, bear killing, trapping and deer slaying will long be remembered. He has been the moose caller for the Ed. Davis party of Providence, R I, for many seasons. Ed. Davis is proprietor of Perry Davis' Pain Killer and a great sportsman. He camps on Hemlock Island about a half mile from here during the moose season and usually spends from three to five weeks here.

Black flies retire when darkness comes and as there were no mosquitoes the evening was passed very enjoyably with R. P. Thompson as master of ceremonies on the part of the American delegation. On the breaking up of the party we accepted an invitation to dine with Dr. and Mrs. Cole at Caledonia when we returned from the woods. This we did and spent a very pleasant evening at their residence.

The journey of seven miles down the river was the most exciting part of our travels. The landing of a salmon isn't compared with it. As in one case there is no danger, while running the river and shooting the falls, to us seemed filled with danger, bordering nigh upon fool-hardihood, which a sensible person should avoid, yet we passed the rips, rocks and falls without harm or even getting wet.

We refused to take the shoot at Loon Lake Falls and went round them on the shore and watched the guides come over through the foaming water and around the dangerous rocks. The passage was made with the boats without accident tho' we gave vent to our feelings by a long breath of relief when we arrived in the still water below trout rock. It took some five hours to run the river including the stops made for fishing.

One of the incidents of the passage was a whirlwind on the river. It whirled along for several rods throwing a spray of water up some ten feet. It did not strike us though it came near enough to dash water in our faces and would have raised our hats had we not held them on. This was the fist phenomena of the kind we had ever witnessed on the water.

At Trout Rock we took our largest fish. It weighed 1¾ pounds. The trout here are small compared to those taken in the Rangeleys of this State. The fish average from a quarter to three-fourths of a pound. There are plenty of them however. This is not new ground for sportsmen. Hundreds of people visit here each year as the tenting grounds will testify.

An easy row next morning brought us to Low's Landing and by 11 o'clock we were aboard Landlord Telfer's team en route for Caledonia Corner 12 miles distant.

In the early evening Dr. Cole hitched up his pair of horses and took us about town for a drive. We also visited South Brookfield and saw fine bits of farming country and nice woods and fields. Caledonia is connected with Halifax, 110 miles distant by telephone, also with the Molega gold mines 8 miles distant. The nearest railroad station is at New Germany 20 miles out. There is a projected railway that is expected to be built in the near future.

In our next we shall speak of the salmon fishing on Port Medway River.

Fire in Lovell.

About 9 o'clock Monday morning the citizens of Foxborough were startled by a cry of fire. Hastily leaving their work they soon reached the scene of alarm. The house of John A. Fox was in flames. It being Monday Mrs. Fox was washing as usual and consequently had a large fire. It is supposed the fire caught somewhere around the chimney.

Mrs. Fox said she had been up in the chamber about an hour before making beds and had seen nothing to arouse her suspicions, and Mr. Fox had been up there a little over half an hour before and had seen nothing of it. It was not discovered until it broke through the ceiling over the kitchen. As soon as discovered Mrs. Fox run out of doors and cried fire, fire, and ran into the house and carried her sewing machine over three steps into the yard. Immediately the whole household begun clearing the house. Soon the neighbors came flocking in and very soon indeed it looked as if a family were hastily moving out.

Great effort was made to save the barn but a long shed extended from the house nearly to the barn which was filled with the waste material from the saw mill. When this caught they all saw it was impossible to save the barn, but some kept dashing water on it while others tore down that portion of the shed nearest the barn, but all in vain. Happily there were no animals in the barn but a calf which was led to a neighboring barn.

Mr. Fox is insured in the Fryeburg Insurance Company but twice his insurance would hardly cover his loss. Nearly all the clothing was saved and most of the furniture on the first floor, but the chamber was so full of smoke it was impossible to save anything there.

The house burned slowly there being but little wind but the barn went quickly. In about an hour and a half the whole was a mass of smoking ruins. How forcibly the old adage comes in our midst "Fire is a good servant but a very hard master."

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Walter R. Newbergin has been appointed postmaster at Kezar Falls vice Wm. G. Davis.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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BETHEL.

The 4th of July program announced by the officers of Riverside Park association, is as follows:

10 a. m.
3.00 class, trot and pace, purse $75.
2.40 class, trot and pace, purse $100.
Bicycle race, 16 years old or under, 1-2 mile, best two in three. Prizes, 1st bicycle lamp $3.50, 2nd luggage carrier $1.50, 3d bell, $1.00.
1.30 p. m.
2.27, pace, purse $125.
Free-for-all, $125.
Bicycle race, 1 mile novice. 1st prize cyclometer $8.00, 2nd chair $5.00, 3d sweater $3.00.
1 mile bicycle race for amateurs, best two in three. 1st prize, bicycle lantern $6.50; 2nd chair $4.50, 3d pants $3.00.

The entrance fee for the bicycle races will be 50 cents.

D. M. Grover and sister are contemplating moving to Bethel soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker of Portland were recent guests at A. B. Grover's.

E. C. Barnard has returned to Mechanic Falls. Mrs. Barnard will remain with her friends here for a while.

Linda M. Bennett is not quite as well at the present writing.

Mr. Whitman is quite feeble.

D. M. Grover has bought A. J. Peaslie's work horse "Kate".

Mrs. Lyman Abbott and son Charles were at F. Bennett's one day recently.

Mrs. J. B. Peaslie is expecting a visit from her friend Mrs. Bartlett from West Virginia.

A. J. Peaslie is peeling poplar for E. S. Kilborn.

Mr. H. Chapman was in this section engaging wool Tuesday.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Clifton Foster and wife were guests at Levi Bartlett's last Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Whitman and children were out for a ride Sunday.

Mell Coburn's horse "Major" is fat and glossy notwithstanding a lot of hard work.

Bertha Bennett and a friend visited Douglass Seminary one day recently.

Mrs. J. B. Peaslie went went to Gorham, N. H., on business Monday.

True Browne is at work for Fred Ordway at the present time.

Olia Pingree is at work for E. J. Mains this week.

Mr. Paine of Newry was at Thomas Maybery's a short time since.

W. M. Browne and Nathan Stearns were at Allison Browne's last Saturday.

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SOUTH PARIS.

NO. 4 HILL.—Mrs. Corbett is on the sick list.

Vilie Shaw was up from Auburn Saturday night.

Ernest Maxim planted Mr. Corbett's corn this week with his corn planter.

Nathan Maxim got quite badly hurt lifting on a cart.

Master Joe Thurlow visited his aunt on the Hill lately.

Julia Corbett virited friends at Auburn the past week.

Mr. Thurlow is on the sick list. Himmie Thurlow is home from Hebron while his father is sick.

During the shower Sunday night Nathan Maxim's barn was struck and his best horse killed.

Manley Bessey was down to Auburn Saturday and bought him a horse and a new harness.

Clint Shaw and a friend were up from Auburn Sunday.

SINGE POLE.—Nelson Elder went to Auburn this week. Oliver Curtis planted Mrs. Elder's corn Friday.

Ira Shaw is working his team on the road machine.

Josie King is home from Yale College. Ernest Maxim planted J. F. King's and Will Shaw's corn this week.

Mrs. Elder is repairing her house, papering and putting in new windows. Mr. Pottle and Mr. Starbird did the work.

Mrs. Millett and son John from North Woodstock visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. M. P. Shaw is at work at Norway in a boarding house. Mr. Shaw goes there to board. He works in the sled factory.

BUSE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

Harper's Weekly for June 17th will devote five pages to Edwin Booth. The text will include an intimate account of the tragedian's life by his friend Laurence Hutton, and will be embellished by several portraits and by illustrations of the actor in his favorite roles and of his home at The Players' Club, which he founded.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

The Printing Office vs. the College.

The youth who intends to be a successful business or professional man could spend four years to better advantage in a printing office than in a college. In no other business is a man compelled to be so accurate, so careful and so patient; and to be a successful master printer it is also necessary for him to be familiar with a greater number of trades and occupations than any other business man is called upon to learn.

He need not be a practical printer, who can "stick" type or "kick" a press, (although this knowledge is useful) but he must understand all the intricacies of both these trades, so he can tell a customer what is possible, what is impossible, and the whys and wherefores of (what to the uninitiated often seems) the compositor's "madness."

He must know the names of type, and their sizes; and as he is often called upon to tell the weight, price and kind of samples of paper submitted to him, the paper business should be at his fingers' ends. A knowledge of inks and machinery, and a familiarity with lithography, steel plate work, wood engraving and the many other processes used in the making of illustrations, must be entered in his catalogue af acquirements, as also an understanding of book binding and all its branches. In fact, a master printer in these and many other things be a small encyclopedia, or he will not be a success.

In a few years a young man will learn a good deal about all these trades (oftentimes by bitter experience), and much of human nature, which, in any walk of life, in valuable.

He should enter a first-class house, where their word is as good as their bond, for there he will be taught punctuality and promptness. If he is not accurate and care taking, he must acquire these talents or he will be a failure in the printing business. It is so easy to make a slight mistake which may cost hundreds of dollars that, no matter how rushed a printer is, his brain must be clear and calm or his pocket-book will suffer.

Patience is another virtue which must be learned, if it is not already a part of the man's make-up. If men ever show their crankiness it is when they are ordering printed matter. The man who "knows it all," because for a week or two when a boy he swept up the floor of a printing office is familiar to most printers. Again there is the man who selects his own type; invaribly, selects a different style for each line, and then, because it looks like a curiosity, swears at the printer, calls him a "blacksmith" and makes him re-set it several times, for which he never thinks of paying and would consider the printer a robber if he charged it to him.

The man who accepts a proof as "O. K." and after the job is completed discovers some technical word incorrectly spelled and throws back the whole job with the remark that it is the printer's business to discover mistakes, not his—he did not read the proof, only looked at the general style, etc., is another familiar type, and hundreds of other instances could be enumerated, compared to which the trials of Job are as ant-hills beside the tallest of the Himalayas.

The best thing gained perhaps for future merchants, is the knowledge of buying and selling which all printers must acquire. Competition compels them to buy low, in order that they may bid against their numerous competitors, and it also makes them good salesmen; the fact of their having so many rivals making it necessary for them to have all the talents of story telling which go to make up the successful salesman.

Incidentally a large knowledge of advertising is acquired, for who has to advertise more or use a greater variety of methods than the printer? In any business, this accomplishment is exceedingly useful in this age of advertising.

It would pay fathers to put their sons into printing offices, if possible, where they could have some responsibility and pay for their mistakes, be they ever so costly, for the sake of the training, which would be worth much more than the expense. It would lay the foundation upon which their future successes would rest, and if they had any success in them, they would surely be helped by this experience.

Certain book knowledge is of course necessary to professional men, and that must be learned by college course, but if after graduating they would spend a few years as printers, they could cope with the world more successfully when they started in their chosen profession.

When we consider that by printer's ink we obtain much of our education, through text books, newspapers, etc., and many pleasant hours are given us by novels and magazines, is it not well that all should know something of the methods by which these are presented to us?

If some philanthropist would establish a printing office school, where all the care, worry and responsibility could be piled on, it would be a great thing for the rising generation, for they would be better fitted to fight the battles of life and meet the strain of our American rush.—*Press and Printer.*

CANTON.

C. K. Houghton, hardware, has made an assignment, taken an account of stock and will call a meeting of his creditors. Says he is going away. Sorry to lose so good a business man.

Fuller & Staples and J. C. Fuller & Co. of Abbott's Mill are in financial trouble.

Winnie Holt gave a lawn party on her 9th birthday to her schoolmates. Refreshments were served on the lawn which was decorated with red, white and blue.

L. W. Smith is building over the old grist mill. He is going to make a finishing shop for finishing sheep skins.

C. K. Swett has got done work in the Times office.

Nellie Thompson is on her vacation.

J. W. Bicknell and Mat Johnson have gone to Four Ponds fishing. P. E. Bicknell is clerking for J. W. Bicknell while he is away.

Mrs. H. A. Ellis was very sick the 9th. She is some better now.

J. S. Mendall continues about the same.

School finishes in three weeks. It has been a very profitable term and the teachers are all liked very much. When you get good teachers keep them if they do cost more.

A heavy storm passed over here Sunday evening, the 11th. The thunder was very heavy and shook the buildings.

Grass is looking finely and the prospect for a large hay crop is good.

Eben E. Rand has invented a cigar box holder, which is very simple as well as very serviceable.

The eleventh annual exhibition of the Eastern Maine State Fair will occur at Bangor Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Aug. 29-Sept. 1.

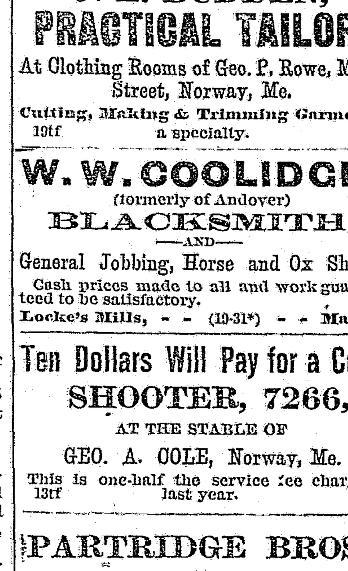
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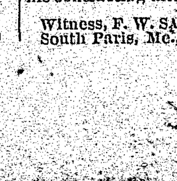
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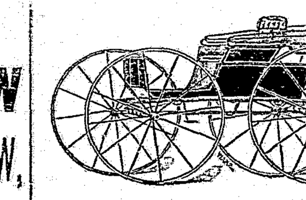
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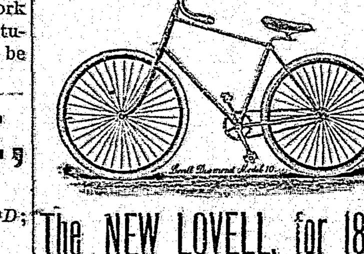
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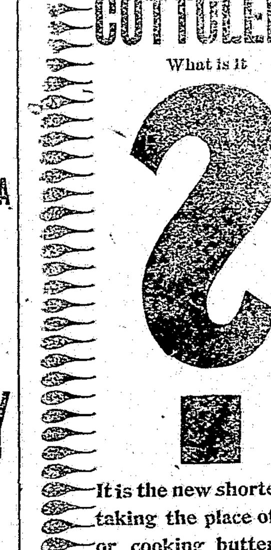
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NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Mary Capen, from Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Heald.

Mrs. Martha Record has returned to her home after passing the winter in Mass.

Mamie Twitchell from the lower village, has been visiting at Mrs. A. Farrar's the past week.

Eva Fuller has got home from Lewiston.

Eugene Fuller has gone to Lewiston to work in the horse car stable.

Joseph Bicknell, from Boston, is in the place for a week's visit.

Fred Harlow is again seen on our streets.

Willard Mason and wife staid up to Herman Morse's last Saturday night.

Mrs. Farrar is making cheese.

Chester Record and wife, from South Paris, were at D. L. Farrar's last Sunday.

Uncle Ezekiel Fuller is quite poorly; he is 84 years old.

Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Mayhew visited at Merritt Farrar's last Thursday.

Charlie Flagg is at work fo J. A. Warren.

Wright Crockett passed through this place last Sunday with his span. I thought that if I only was "young again."

Augustus Pearson and wife and Walter Turner and family, went to Oxford last Sabbath, to visit Mr. Pearson's daughter, Mrs. Rowe.

Carl Heald has a new covered carriage. He comes out with as good a team as the next one.

Mrs. Julia Record, two daughters and son, from South Paris, was at D. L. Farrar's last Sunday.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

Union Congregational Conference.

The Congregational churches composing Union Conference met at Lovell Centre, Wednesday and Thursday, June 7 and 8. E. P. Woodbury of Sweden was chosen moderator and Rev. A. S. Fitz of North Bridgton for scribe and treasurer. First was a sermon by Rev. C. S. Young of Fryeburg, subject, "Laborers together with God." Dinner was served in a hall near the church. The afternoon work began with an interesting devotional service. Then came the discussion of the topic, "Christian Co-operation." First, its basis; second, its obstacles; third, its benefits.

Thursday morning at 9.30 a service of devotion. The first theme on the program was the Sabbath, (1) Its purpose and manner of observance. (2) The best condition for its observance. (3) How prevent the desecration of it? So much interest was aroused in this subject that there was no time for any other theme. Reports were had from several churches where the missionary ladies, Misses Washburn and Harlow have been at work. In the absence of the regular preacher, Rev. A. G. Fitz preached the closing sermon to a full house. Subject, "The perfect man, Christ Jesus." The communion service was conducted by Rev. Messrs. Harbutt and Young.

Rev. Mr. Sandbrook, pastor of the Lovell church has resigned after nearly nine years of service, and he is expecting soon to leave the place.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

The question why is a newspaper like a pretty girl? is very nicely answered by an exchange, which says: To be perfect it must be the embodiment of many types; its form is made up; it is chased though inclined to be giddy; it enjoys a good press, the more rapid the better; it has a weakness for gossip; talks a good deal; can stand a good deal of praise, and is awfully proud of a new dress. It cannot be kept in good humor without cash. Please pay up.

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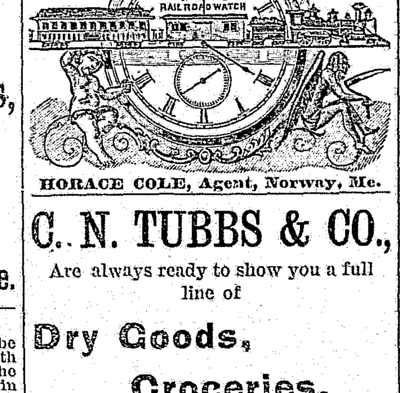
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

OXFORD, SS.—Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Thursday the 20th day of July, A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Kimball & Son, in Norway, in said county, all the right which Ordecia A. Foster of Waterford, in the county of Oxford, had on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon when the same was attached on the original writ in and to the following described real estate, situated in Waterford, in said county, to wit: the same being a part of that lot of land on which is situated the two story building, nearly opposite the hotel, occupied by John F. Rice, at North Waterford Village, beginning at the south east corner of said building which is known as the Green Store, and running in a westerly direction with the road, ninety-seven feet, and then running from that point in a northerly direction to a stake and stone between the land herein described, and land now or formerly owned by Mary A. Rice, said stake and stone being forty-three feet westerly of the north-west corner of the Emma Jordan land; the line then runs from said stake and stones to the north-westerly corner of the Emma Jordan lot; then following the boundaries of the Emma Jordan lot to the road on the east; thence following the road to the south-east corner of said store or building, being the same deeded to said Foster by Ruth K. Green, April 12th, A. D. 1889, and recorded in Oxford Records, Book 218, Page 416. Also a lot adjoining same, on the westerly side, extending one hundred feet on the road, and extending back one hundred and forty-six feet, the westerly line of said lot being parallel with the easterly line of homestead of J. C. Rice, and the northerly line parallel with the road.
June 7, A. D. 1893. JONATHAN BLAKE,
23-25 Dept. Sheriff.

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The Subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of
SALLY STEWART, late of Brownfield,
in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
EDWARD E. HASTINGS.
June 6th, 1893. (24-26)

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, SS.—Probate Court, May Term, A. D. 1893.
SAPHRONIA S. SHEDD, widow of George Shedd, late of Waterford, deceased, having presented her petition for an allowance out of the personal estate of said deceased:
ORDERED, That the said Petitioner give notice of the same to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, a newspaper printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Paris, within and for said County, on the third Tuesday of June next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have against the same. (24-26) GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Reg.

FREEDOM NOTICE.

I hereby give public notice that I have this day given my son, Oscar S. Child, his time to trade for himself during his minority. I shall claim none of his wages nor pay any debts of his contracting after this date.
EDWIN B. CHILD.
Witness, F. W. SANBORN.
South Paris, Me., June 10, 1893. 25-27

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NORWAY SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 18., meets in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, on or before full moon. V. W. Hills, W. M.; H. D. Smith, Sec'y.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Harry E. Gibson, N. G. C. G. Mason, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Geo. A. Cole, C. P.; C. G. Mason, Scribe.

HARRY RUST POST No. 54, G. A. R., meets in Ryerson Hall on the third Friday evening of each month. S. L. Etheredge, P. C.; E. H. Brown, Adjt.; A. P. Bassett, Q. M.

UNION ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 36, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. L. I. Gilbert, H. P.; H. D. Smith, Secretary.

NORWAY COMMANDERY, No. 247, U. O. G. C., meets at Ryerson Hall, 2nd and 4th Thursday evening of each month. S. N. Otis, N. C.; Lucelia Cummings, K. of R.

PENNESSEEWASSEE LODGE No. 18, K. of P., meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. O. M. Cummings, C. C.; Arthur Hebbard, K. of R. & S.

A. O. NOYES DIVISION, No. 12, U. R., K. of P., meet in Pythian Hall the third Friday in each month. B. F. Bradbury, Sir Knight Captain: A. Hebbard, Sir Knight Recorder.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 177, N. E. O. P., meets in Ryerson Hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Ada A. Libby, Warden. Mrs. O. A. Holden, Secretary.

NORWAY DIVISION, No. 49, S. of T. meets in Ryerson Hall every Saturday evening at 7:30. Emil Schneer, W. P.; Chas. L. Randall, R. S.

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"The Good Old State of Maine."

NOTE.—Recently while being carted over some of Nova Scotia's rough roads, our teamster entertained us with a song. He said it was a very popular song last winter in the Zeland Valley (N. H.) lumber camps where he worked. To be fully appreciated it should be heard sung by a crew of fifty or sixty lumbermen while in camp. The words are as follows:

Attention all where're I call until I do relate
My experience in the woods while in the Granite State;
Her snow clad hills and winding rills, her mountains, rocks and plains,
We find them very different in the Good Old State of Maine.

The difference in the wages, boys, is scarcely worth a dime,
For every day you cannot work you are forced to lose your time;
To pay your passage to and fro you find but little gain,
You will do as well to stay at home in the Good Old State of Maine.

In the Zeland Valley you will find seven feet of snow,
And work beneath the thermometer at 35 below;
It will average three storms a week of snow or sleet or rain,
You never find such weather in the Good Old State of Maine.

The aliens and the foreigners they flock in by the score,
The diversity of language will equal Babel's tower;
Italians, Russians, Poles and Finns, the Dutchman and the Danes,
You never find such droves as those in the Good Old State of Maine.

They figure up the thing so fine it's hard to save a stamp,
For once a month they do take stock of things about the camp,—
Stoves, pots and kettles, knives and forks, a draw shave or a plane,
You never heard of such a thing in the Good Old State of Maine.

Every night with pen and ink they figure up the cost,
The crew is held responsible for all things broke or lost,
An ax, a handle or a spade, a cant dog or a chain,
The men are never charged with tools in the Good Old State of Maine.

The boss will then address you with a loud commanding voice,
Saying, "you know the regulations, boys, therefore you have your choice;"
We know he did not make them and of him we can't complain,
We never have such regulations in the Good Old State of Maine.

The rules and regulations I have mentioned here before
Are in type written copies posted up on every door,—
To pay your board, not lose your time, and work in snow or rain,
They would call us fools to stand such rules in the Good Old State of Maine.

If you do not like the style you can go down the line,
But if you leave them in the lurch they will figure with you fine;
They will cut down your wages, charge you car fare on the train,
You never heard of such a thing in the Good Old State of Maine.

About the grub I'll give a rub of which they much deserve,
The cooks become so lazy they allow the men to starve;
It's bread and beans and beans and bread and bread and beans again,
Of grub we sometimes have a change in the Good Old State of Maine.

The beans and fish are poorly cooked, the bread is sour and old,
The beans are dry and musty, the doughnuts hard and cold;
For to undertake to eat them would give your jaws great pain,
Not the kind we mostly find in the Good Old State of Maine.

Now I'll conclude and finish, boys, and then my story end,
If I have made a statement wrong I am willing to amend;
I like the foremen of the crew, of them I can't complain,
A better crew I never knew in the Good Old State of Maine.

I bid adieu to camp and crew to proprietors and sons,
Their names are great throughout the State, they are some of the biggest guns;
I wish them all prosperity 'ere I return again,
I'll mend my ways and spend my days in the Good Old State of Maine.

WEST BROWNFIELD.

Diantha Sargent who has been working in Boston during the past year, is now at home on a short vacation visiting relatives and friends.

Ezra E. Eastman with a small crew of men is at work pealing poplar on the Colcord mountain.

School in district No. 11 is in session under the instruction of Isaac Drown. Mr. Brown has taught twenty terms, and is considered one of of our best teachers.

J. C. Weeks is at work for Adrial Stuart, repairing his barn.

Bert Howard has moved on the Sally Michels farm where he intends to earn a livelihood by farming.

Charlie Weeks who has been very ill during the past four months is improving he thinks he will be able to resume his work in a few weeks.

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[Written for the Advertiser.]

Waterford and Artemus Ward.

Waterford Flat, the birthplace of Artemus Ward, lies between Mt. Tir'em and Keoka Lake, or as Artemus said, "It nestles between them and it will never do anything but nestle."

One time when speaking of the place he remarked it "would make a good cradle in which to rock the world." Notwithstanding his sarcastic remarks, the village has become a favorite summer resort.

The view from the Mountain is very fine. The drives are desirable, and the lake abounds in fish of various kinds, though black bass predominates.

Rev. Dr. Gibbons of Philadelphia seems to have a special way of enticing the finny tribe to seize his bait,—alas! for the poor fish,—his doom is sealed.

One of Artemus Ward's old chums, during the summer months, drives a "coach and four" from here to Bridgton, carrying summer tourist to and from the place. One day when coming between the lake and mountain, he remarked to his passengers, "The crickets and grasshoppers are all hiding under the rocks and ledges." On being asked the reason, he made the following reply: "O, they know Dr. Gibbons is expected soon, and after he comes they will have no more peace, for he will catch them for bait."

At one time he was the travelling companion of Artemus Ward. When boys they were always ready for a lark. One night they took all of a neighbor's hens from the roost, carried them to an old school-house and fastened them in. Search was made, but not a biddy could be found. At last chanticleer made his voice heard, and the flock was at once restored to its own domicile. Another time they took a sleigh ride. Passing a house they saw a boy in the dooryard, talked with him, and as he came near them Artemus grabbed him and pulled him into the sleigh and rode off with him.

These two incidents are but a sample of his pranks; never doing an injury to anyone, kind hearted, but boiling over with fun, always seeing the ridiculous side of everything.

The same vein of wit and fun seems to run through the Browne family. They are kind to a fault, think the world of their families, but a joke or a sell seems to be the order of the day with them.

If a person has the blues, the best medicine I can recommend is an evening spent in the company of half a dozen of Artemus Ward's Browne cousins, and there are a goodly number of them in this town.

The charm of their wit is in their unconsciousness of having said anything at all worth laughing at. Waterford and Artemus Ward seem to belong to each other—the name of one calls to mind the name of the other.

Some years ago I was in an adjoining town for a few weeks. One day a stranger was present at the dinner table, a German by birth. During the conversation he inquired where my home was. After being informed the hostess remarked, "She is a relative of Artemus Ward." He arose from the table, came around to me saying, "Gott in heaven bless you. I want to shake hands with you." My surprise can better be imagined than described. Many people have a reverence for their native place, and never tire of hearing or telling of the many attractions the place affords. I think I belong to the superlative degree of that class, for I have no desire, or ever had, to live in the far West or sunny South.

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Are you all tired out? Do you have that tired feeling or sick headache? You can be relieved of all these symptoms by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives nerve, mental and bodily strength and thoroughly purifies the blood. It also creates a good appetite, cures indigestion, heartburn and dyspepsia.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy in action and sure in effect. 25 cents a box.

NORTH LOVELL.

The York and Cumberland Christian Conference met with the church at Lovell Center the past week. There was a very small delegation from abroad on account of the New England Convention which convened the same week.

School in this district is now in session, taught by Carrie Plummer of Waterford.

Lewis Spaulding, agent for the Lewiston Journal, is canvassing this part of the State. He and his wife stopped Monday night at H. W. Palmer's.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the graduation exercises at Fryeburg.

Orin Wilson of Shelburne, N. H., has been visiting at Frank Wilson's.

Invitations have been received to attend Harvard Class Day exercises.

Heavy showers passed over here Sunday night.

Dea. Pelter McAllister bought a new carriage of Will Kilgore.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Our Nova Scotia Fishing Trip.

CHAPTER II.

The guides W. B. Harlow and C. E. Cushing bestirred themselves early in the morning. The boats, camp equipage and luggage were lashed on a truck team and were on their way to Fairy Lake by 8 o'clock. It was some 12 miles to the lake and the roads were not very bad. An hour or so later Mr. Telfer of the hotel was driving over the road to the Grafton Landing where dinner was served by the guides.

It was short work to load the two boats and we started across the chain of lakes for the Eelwier some nine miles distant. There was a heavy sea in the big lake and a few breakers came over the bow of one boat wetting some of our luggage and the writer who showed considerable nervousness as the pilot of the craft, R. P. Thompson, was inexperienced at the helm and allowed the boat to plough through some of the heavy swell somewhat quartering. An hour of hard pulling against a strong breeze brought us under the lee of an island. The crew here rested and we caught our first trout. The speckled beauty took a scarlet ibis and very shortly we had a second one.

A mile further brought us to George's Run. Here we fished and took enough trout for supper. This "run" is very short, not over 10 rods, but the water is strong and the fish seemed plenty.

A "run" is where the water of one lake runs into another lake with more or less rapidity. The trout come up from the still water of the lake and play about in this quick water and seem to be on the watch for flies and insects.

The Eelwier is the head of the seven mile river that flows between the two big lakes and here we found plenty of trout. The guides pitched the tent and made ready for night while Mr. Thompson and the writer caught a few more fish for supper and made the acquaintance of Dr. W. H. Cole of Caledonia, who with his wife were camping a little farther down on the Eelwier on the opposite bank. Our first night in camp was after the order of the usual first night—a little sleep and a good deal of wakefulness.

The four following days were devoted to fishing and fighting black flies. One was about as numerous as the other and plenty of both.

We had taken two butter firkins in which to pickle the trout we were to take home. We easily filled these tubs besides having trout three times a day. Our best fishing was at the West Run of George's Lake. We took 18 trout; 12 of them weighed 12 pounds. We were kept busy some hours. Here it was we tried bait fishing which proved that our guides told the truth when they said it was no use to fish with bait for the trout. We doubted it a little and took along with us some good fat earth worms and tried it. After patiently fishing with bait some 15 minutes we landed one trout. We changed over to a fly and went on catching fish. We used here only one fly on the cast and it mattered but little what kind or color of a fly was used. A small dark colored fly seemed to be their favorite but they would rise to most any thing.

One evening we entertained our camping friends from across the river, Dr. Cole, wife and guide. They reported having caught some 400 trout which were in pickle at the "Cole Camp."

Tea over and the lanterns arranged in the trees so as to give good light on the table our International game of whist was in order. Now the writer does not play whist and a guide was substituted and the game went on while we were entertained by the veteran David Freeman of Kempt who was guiding Dr. and Mrs. Cole. The yarns he told us as we lay by the blazing camp fire, of moose hunting, bear killing, trapping and deer slaying will long be remembered. He has been the moose caller for the Ed. Davis party of Providence, R I, for many seasons. Ed. Davis is proprietor of Perry Davis' Pain Killer and a great sportsman. He camps on Hemlock Island about a half mile from here during the moose season and usually spends from three to five weeks here.

Black flies retire when darkness comes and as there were no mosquitoes the evening was passed very enjoyably with R. P. Thompson as master of ceremonies on the part of the American delegation. On the breaking up of the party we accepted an invitation to dine with Dr. and Mrs. Cole at Caledonia when we returned from the woods. This we did and spent a very pleasant evening at their residence.

The journey of seven miles down the river was the most exciting part of our travels. The landing of a salmon isn't compared with it. As in one case there is no danger, while running the river and shooting the falls. to us seemed filled with danger, bordering nigh upon fool-hardihood, which a sensible person should avoid, yet we passed the rips, rocks and falls without harm, or even getting wet.

We refused to take the shoot at Loon Lake Falls and went round them on the shore and watched the guides come over through the foaming water and around the dangerous rocks. The passage was made with the boats without accident tho' we gave vent to our feelings by a long breath of relief when we arrived in the still water below trout rock. It took some five hours to run the river including the stops made for fishing.

One of the incidents of the passage was a whirlwind on the river. It whirled along for several rods throwing a spray of water up some ten feet. It did not strike us though it came near enough to dash water in our faces and would have raised our hats had we not held them on. This was the fist phenomena of the kind we had ever witnessed on the water.

At Trout Rock we took our largest fish. It weighed 1¾ pounds. The trout here are small compared to those taken in the Rangeleys of this State. The fish average from a quarter to three-fourths of a pound. There are plenty of them however. This is not new ground for sportsmen. Hundreds of people visit here each year as the tenting grounds will testify.

An easy row next morning brought us to Low's Landing and by 11 o'clock we were aboard Landlord Telfer's team en route for Caledonia Corner 12 miles distant.

In the early evening Dr. Cole hitched up his pair of horses and took us about town for a drive. We also visited South Brookfield and saw fine bits of farming country and nice woods and fields. Caledonia is connected with Halifax, 110 miles distant by telephone, also with the Molega gold mines 8 miles distant. The nearest railroad station is at New Germany 20 miles out There is a projected railway that is expected to be built in the near future.

In our next we shall speak of the salmon fishing on Port Medway River.

Fire in Lovell.

About 9 o'clock Monday morning the citizens of Foxborough were startled by a cry of fire. Hastily leaving their work they soon reached the scene of alarm. The house of John A. Fox was in flames. It being Monday Mrs. Fox was washing as usual and consequently had a large fire. It is supposed the fire caught somewhere around the chimney.

Mrs. Fox said she had been up in the chamber about an hour before making beds and had seen nothing to arouse her suspicions, and Mr. Fox had been up there a little over half an hour before and had seen nothing of it. It was not discovered until it broke through the ceiling over the kitchen. As soon as discovered Mrs. Fox run out of doors and cried fire, fire, and ran into the house and carried her sewing machine over three steps into the yard. Immediately the whole household begun clearing the house. Soon the neighbors came flocking in and very soon indeed it looked as if a family were hastily moving out.

Great effort was made to save the barn but a long shed extended from the house nearly to the barn which was filled with the waste material from the saw mill. When this caught they all saw it was impossible to save the barn, but some kept dashing water on it while others tore down that portion of the shed nearest the barn, but all in vain. Happily there were no animals in the barn but a calf which was led to a neighboring barn.

Mr. Fox is insured in the Fryeburg Insurance Company but twice his insurance would hardly cover his loss. Nearly all the clothing was saved and most of the furniture on the first floor, but the chamber was so full of smoke it was impossible to save anything there.

The house burned slowly there being but little wind but the barn went quickly. In about an hour and a half the whole was a mass of smoking ruins. How forcibly the old adage comes in our midst "Fire is a good servant but a very hard master."

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Walter R. Newbergin has been appointed postmaster at Kezar Falls vice Wm. G. Davis.

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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BETHEL.

The 4th of July program announced by the officers of Riverside Park association, is as follows:

10 a. m.
3.00 class, trot and pace, purse $75.
2.40 class, trot and pace, purse $100.
Bicycle race, 16 years old or under, 1-2 mile, best two in three. Prizes, 1st bicycle lamp $3.50, 2nd luggage carrier $1.50, 3d bell, $1.00.
1.30 p. m.
2.27, pace, purse $125.
Free-for-all, $125.
Bicycle race, 1 mile novice. 1st prize cyclometer $8.00, 2nd chair $5.00, 3d sweater $3.00.
1 mile bicycle race for amateurs, best two in three. 1st prize, bicycle lantern $6.50; 2nd chair $1.50, 3d pants $3.00.

The entrance fee for the bicycle races will be 50 cents.

D. M. Grover and sister are contemplating moving to Bethel soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker of Portland were recent guests at A. B. Grover's.

E. C. Barnard has returned to Mechanic Falls. Mrs. Barnard will remain with her friends here for a while.

Linda M. Bennett is not quite as well at the present writing.

Mr. Whitman is quite feeble.

D. M. Grover has bought A. J. Peaslie's work horse "Kate".

Mrs. Lyman Abbott and son Charles were at F. Bennett's one day recently.

Mrs. J. B. Peaslie is expecting a visit from her friend Mrs. Bartlett from West Virginia.

A. J. Peaslie is peeling poplar for E. S. Kilborn.

Mr. H. Chapman was in this section engaging wool Tuesday.

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Clifton Foster and wife were guests at Levi Bartlett's last Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Whitman and children were out for a ride Sunday.

Mell Coburn's horse "Major" is fat and glossy notwithstanding a lot of hard work.

Bertha Bennett and a friend visited Douglass Seminary one day recently.

Mrs. J. B. Peaslie went went to Gorham, N. H., on business Monday.

True Browne is at work for Fred Ordway at the present time.

Olla Pingree is at work for E. J. Mains this week.

Mr. Paine of Newry was at Thomas Maybery's a short time since.

W. M. Browne and Nathan Stearns were at Allison Browne's last Saturday.

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SOUTH PARIS.

NO. 4 HILL.—Mrs. Corbett is on the sick list.

Vilie Shaw was up from Auburn Saturday night.

Ernest Maxim planted Mr. Corbett's corn this week with his corn planter.

Nathan Maxim got quite badly hurt lifting on a cart.

Master Joe Thurlow visited his aunt on the Hill lately.

Julia Corbett virited friends at Auburn the past week.

Mr. Thurlow is on the sick list. Himmie Thurlow is home from Hebron while his father is sick.

During the shower Sunday night Nathan Maxim's barn was struck and his best horse killed.

Manley Bessey was down to Auburn Saturday and bought him a horse and a new harness.

Clint Shaw and a friend were up from Auburn Sunday.

SINGE POLE.—Nelson Elder went to Auburn this week. Oliver Curtis planted Mrs. Elder's corn Friday.

Ira Shaw is working his team on the road machine.

Josie King is home from Yale College.

Ernest Maxim planted J. F. King's and Will Shaw's corn this week.

Mrs. Elder is repairing her house, papering and putting in new windows. Mr. Pottle and Mr. Starbird did the work.

Mrs. Millett and son John from North Woodstock visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. M. P. Shaw is at work at Norway in a boarding house. Mr. Shaw goes there to board. He works in the sled factory.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

Harper's Weekly for June 17th will devote five pages to Edwin Booth. The text will include an intimate account of the tragedian's life by his friend Laurence Hutton, and will be embellished by several portraits and by illustrations of the actor in his favorite roles and of his home at The Players' Club, which he founded.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

The Printing Office vs. the College.

The youth who intends to be a successful business or professional man could spend four years to better advantage in a printing office than in a college. In no other business is a man compelled to be so accurate, so careful and so patient; and to be a successful master printer it is also necessary for him to be familiar with a greater number of trades and occupations than any other business man is called upon to learn.

He need not be a practical printer, who can "stick" type or "kick" a press, (although this knowledge is useful) but he must understand all the intricacies of both these trades, so he can tell a customer what is possible, what is impossible, and the whys and wherefores of (what to the uniniatiated often seems) the compositor's "madness."

He must know the names of type, and their sizes; and as he is often called upon to tell the weight, price and kind of samples of paper submitted to him, the paper business should be at his fingers' ends. A knowledge of inks and machinery, and a familiarity with lithography, steel plate work, wood engraving and the many other processes used in the making of illustrations, must be entered in his catalogue of acquirements, as also an understanding of book binding and all its branches In fact, a master printer in these and many other things be a small encyclopedia, or he will not be a success.

In a few years a young man will learn a good deal about all these trades (oftentimes by bitter experience), and much of human nature, which, in any walk of life, in valuable.

He should enter a first-class house, where their word is as good as their bond, for there he will be taught punctuality and promptness. If he is not accurate and care taking, he must acquire these talents or he will be a failure in the printing business. It is so easy to make a slight mistake which may cost hundreds of dollars that, no matter how rushed a printer is, his brain must be clear and calm or his pocket-book will suffer.

Patience is another virtue which must be learned, if it is not already a part of the man's make-up. If men ever show their crankiness it is when they are ordering printed matter. The man who "knows it all," because for a week or two when a boy he swept up the floor of a printing office is familiar to most printers. Again there is the man who selects his own type; invariably, selects a different style for each line, and then, because it looks like a curiosity, swears at the printer, calls him a "blacksmith" and makes him re-set it several times, for which he never thinks of paying and would consider the printer a robber if he charged it to him.

The man who accepts a proof as "O. K." and after the job is completed discovers some technical word incorrectly spelled and throws back the whole job with the remark that it is the printer's business to discover mistakes, not his—he did not read the proof, only looked at the general style, etc., is another familiar type, and hundreds of other instances could be enumerated, compared to which the trials of Job are as ant-hills beside the tallest of the Himalayas.

The best thing gained perhaps for future merchants, is the knowledge of buying and selling which all printers must acquire. Competition compels them to buy low, in order that they may bid against their numerous competitors, and it also makes them good salesmen; the fact of their having so many rivals making it necessary for them to have all the talents of story telling which go to make up the successful salesman.

Incidentally a large knowledge of advertising is acquired, for who has to advertise more or use a greater variety of methods than the printer? In any business, this accomplishment is exceedingly useful in this age of advertising.

It would pay fathers to put their sons into printing offices, if possible, where they could have some responsibility and pay for their mistakes, be they ever so costly, for the sake of the training, which would be worth much more than the expense. It would lay the foundation upon which their future successes would rest, and if they had any success in them, they would surely be helped by this experience.

Certain book knowledge is of course necessary to professional men, and that must be learned by college course, but if after gradnating they would spend a few years as printers, they could cope with the world more successfully when they started in their chosen profession.

When we consider that by printer's ink we obtain much of our education, through text books, newspapers, etc., and many pleasant hours are given us by novels and magazines, is it not well that all should know something of the methods by which these are presented to us?

If some philanthropist would establish a printing office school, where all the care, worry and responsibility could be piled on, it would be a great thing for the rising generation, for they would be better fitted to fight the battles of life and meet the strain of our American rush.—*Press and Printer.*

CANTON.

C. K. Houghton, hardware, has made an assignment, taken an account of stock and will call a meeting of his creditors. Says he is going away. Sorry to lose so good a business man.

Fuller & Staples and J. C. Fuller & Co. of Abbott's Mill are in financial trouble.

Winnie Holt gave a lawn party on her 9th birthday to her schoolmates. Refreshments were served on the lawn which was decorated with red, white and blue.

L. W. Smith is building over the old grist mill. He is going to make a finishing shop for finishing sheep skins.

C. K. Swett has got done work in the Times office.

Nellie Thompson is on her vacation.

J. W. Bicknell and Mat Johnson have gone to Four Ponds fishing. P. E. Bicknell is clerking for J. W. Bicknell while he is away.

Mrs. H. A. Ellis was very sick the 9th. She is some better now.

J. S. Mendall continues about the same.

School finishes in three weeks. It has been a very profitable term and the teachers are all liked very much. When you get good teachers keep them if they do cost more.

A heavy storm passed over here Sunday evening, the 11th. The thunder was very heavy and shook the buildings.

Grass is looking finely and the prospect for a large hay crop is good.

Eben E. Rand has invented a cigar box holder, which is very simple as well as very serviceable.

The eleventh annual exhibition of the Eastern Maine State Fair will occur at Bangor Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Aug. 29-Sept. 1.

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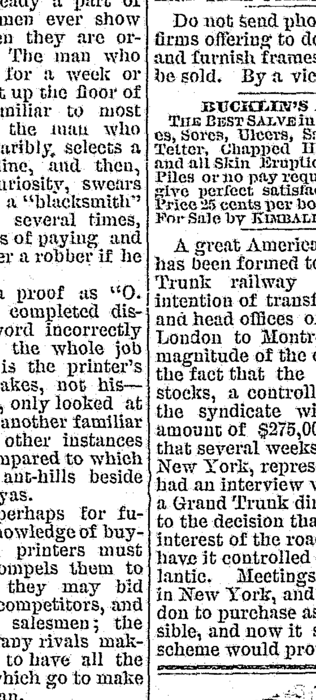
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A great American Canadian syndicate has been formed to purchase the Grand Trunk railway with the avowed intention of transferring the directorate and head offices of the company from London to Montreal. An idea of the magnitude of the deal may be had from the fact that the company's bonds and stocks, a controlling interest of which the syndicate will secure, reach the amount of $275,000,000. It is learned that several weeks ago Mr. Foxwell of New York, representing George Gould, had an interview with Duncan McIntyre, a Grand Trunk director, and they came to the decision that it would be to the interest of the road and shareholders to have it controlled on this side of the Atlantic. Meetings were afterward held in New York, and men were sent to London to purchase as much stock as possible, and now it seems as though the scheme would prove successful.



Mrs. Anna Sutherland
Kalamazoo, Mich., had swellings in the neck, or Goitre from her 10th year, causing 40 Years of suffering. When she caught cold could not walk two blocks without fainting. She took
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

OXFORD, SS.—Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder therefor, at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, in said county, on Saturday, July 15th, 1893, at ten o'clock, a. m., all the right which Henry N. Nutter, then of said Fryeburg, now of the State of New Hampshire, had on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1893, when the same was attached on original writ in same suit, by virtue of a bond for a deed given to him, said Nutter, by one Henry Andrews of said Fryeburg, to a conveyance of the following described parcels of real estate in said Fryeburg, to wit: Beginning at a stake and stones at the corner of land occupied by H. W. Heath, and running northerly by the road leading from Conway to West Fryeburg, about twenty rods to a stake and stones; thence easterly, southerly and westerly by the top of the bank as it trends to land of said Heath to a split stone in the ground; thence by said Heath land to the bound begun at. The second parcel is a small piece of meadow land adjoining the above described parcel, and thus described: Beginning at a stake and stones leading from Conway to West Fryeburg, and on the easterly side thereof, and running by said road to Ballard brook; thence down said brook to a ditch; thence by said ditch to Samuel Mudgett's land; thence by Mudgett's land to land of Herbert Heath; thence by said Heath land and the parcel above described to the first bound. GEORGE G. SHIRLEY,
June 7, 1893. (24-26) Dept. Sheriff.

The subscriber hereby give public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford, and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of JUSTUS CHARLES, late of Fryeburg, in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
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June 6th, 1893. (24-26)

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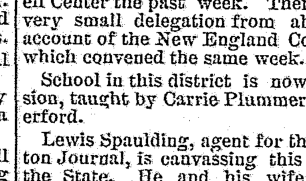
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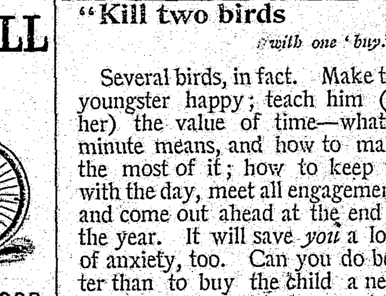
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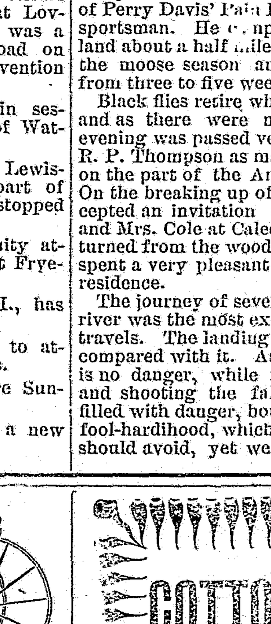
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Several birds, in fact. Make the youngster happy; teach him (or her) the value of time—what a minute means, and how to make the most of it; how to keep up with the day, meet all engagements and come out ahead at the end of the year. It will save *you* a load of anxiety, too. Can you do better than to buy the child a new, quick-winding Waterbury watch? $4 to $15.
Your jeweler will show you every style of this watch for ladies, gentlemen or boys. Coin-silver or filled gold; an accurate jeweled timepiece. You may need one yourself. 44

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" Flour	$4.00 a bbl.
" Tea at	35c. per pound.
" Smoking Tobacco at 35c. per "	
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A nice pair Shoes	$1.15
A fine Dress Shoe	2.00
A nice Gents' Shirt	50c.
Boys' Columbus Suits	$3.50 to $5.00
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Crockery Ware,	Easy Chairs,
All Wool Carpets,	Mattresses,
Union Carpets,	Extension Tables,
Straw Mattings,	Center Tables,
Chamber Sets,	Kitchen Chairs,
Spring Beds,	etc., etc., etc.

And many other things we cannot name here. We need money, Beans, Eggs, Butter, Potatoes, etc., and will give you big values in goods in exchange.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Mary Capen, from Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Heald.

Mrs. Martha Record has returned to her home after passing the winter in Mass.

Mamie Twitchell from the lower village, has been visiting at Mrs. A. Farrar's the past week.

Eva Fuller has got home from Lewiston.

Eugene Fuller has gone to Lewiston to work in the horse car stable.

Joseph Bicknell, from Boston, is in the place for a week's visit.

Fred Harlow is again seen on our streets.

Willard Mason and wife staid up to Herman Morse's last Saturday night.

Mrs. Farrar is making cheese.

Chester Record and wife, from South Paris, were at D. L. Farrar's last Sunday.

Uncle Ezekiel Fuller is quite poorly; he is 84 years old.

Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Mayhew visited at Merritt Farrar's last Thursday.

Charlie Flagg is at work fo J. A. Warren.

Wright Crockett passed through this place last Sunday with his span. I thought that if I only was "young again."

Augustus Pearson and wife and Walter Turner and family, went to Oxford last Sabbath, to visit Mr. Pearson's daughter, Mrs. Rowe.

Carl Heald has a new covered carriage. He comes out with as good a team as the next one.

Mrs. Julia Record, two daughters and son, from South Paris, was at D. L. Farrar's last Sunday.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

Union Congregational Conference.

The Congregational churches composing Union Conference met at Lovell Centre, Wednesday and Thursday, June 7 and 8. E. P. Woodbury of Sweden was chosen moderator and Rev. A. S. Fitz of North Bridgton for scribe and treasurer. First was a sermon by Rev. C. S. Young of Fryeburg, subject, "Laborers together with God." Dinner was served in a hall near the church. The afternoon work began with an interesting devotional service. Then came the discussion of the topic, "Christian Co-operation." First, its basis; second, its obstacles; third, its benefits.

Thursday morning at 9.30 a service of devotion. The first theme on the program was the Sabbath, (1) Its purpose and manner of observance. (2) The best condition for its observance. (3) How prevent the desecration of it? So much interest was aroused in this subject that there was no time for any other theme. Reports were had from several churches where the missionary ladies, Misses Washburn and Harlow have been at work. In the absence of the regular preacher, Rev. A. G. Fitz preached the closing sermon to a full house. Subject, "The perfect man, Christ Jesus." The communion service was conducted by Rev. Messrs. Harbutt and Young.

Rev. Mr. Sandbrook, pastor of the Lovell church has resigned after nearly nine years of service, and he is expecting soon to leave the place.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, THE GREAT BLOOD AND NERVE REMEDY.

The question why is a newspaper like a pretty girl? is very nicely answered by an exchange, which says: To be perfect it must be the embodiment of many types; its form is made up; it is chased though inclined to be giddy; it enjoys a good press, the more rapid the better; it has a weakness for gossip; talks a good deal; can stand a good deal of praise, and is awfully proud of a new dress. It cannot be kept in good humor without cash. Please pay up.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

OXFORD, SS.—Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction, on Thursday the 20th day of July, A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of Kimball & Son, in Norway, in said county, all the right which Ordecia A. Foster of Waterford, in the county of Oxford, had on the 28th day of April, A. D. 1892, at ten o'clock in the forenoon when the same was attached on the original writ in and to the following described real estate, situated in Waterford, in said county, to wit: the same being a part of that lot of land on which is situated the two story building, nearly opposite the hotel, occupied by John F. Rice, at North Waterford Village, beginning at the south-east corner of said building which is known as the Green Store, and running in a westerly direction with the road, ninety-seven feet, and then running from that point in a northerly direction to a stake and stone between the land herein described, and land now or formerly owned by Mary A. Rice, said stake and stone being forty-three feet westerly of the north-west corner of the Emma Jordan land; the line then runs from said stake and stones to the north-westerly corner of the Emma Jordan lot; then following the boundaries of the Emma Jordan lot to the road on the east; thence following the road to the south-east corner of said store or building. being the same deeded to said Foster by Ruth K. Green, April 12th, A. D. 1889, and recorded in Oxford Records, Book 218, Page 416. Also a lot adjoining same, on the westerly side, extending one hundred feet on the road, and extending back one hundred and forty-six feet, the westerly line of said lot being parallel with the easterly line of homestead of J. C. Rice, and the northerly line parallel with the road.
June 7, A. D. 1893. JONATHAN BLAKE,
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The Subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of SALLY STEWART, late of Brownfield, in said county, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
EDWARD E. HASTINGS.
June 6th, 1893. (24-26)

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, SS.—Probate Court, May Term, A. D. 1893.

SAPHRONIA S. SHEDD, widow of George Shedd, late of Waterford, deceased, having presented her petition for an allowance out of the personal estate of said deceased:

ORDERED, That the said Petitioner give notice of the same to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Oxford County Advertiser, a newspaper printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Paris, within and for said County, on the third Tuesday of June next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have against the same. (24-26) GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.

A true copy—Attest: ALBERT D. PARK, Reg.

FREEDOM NOTICE.

I hereby give public notice that I have this day given my son, Oscar S. Child, his time to trade for himself during his minority. I shall claim none of his wages nor pay any debts of his contracting after this date.
EDWIN B. CHILD.
Witness, F. W. SANBORN.
South Paris, Me., June 16, 1893. 25-27

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Oxford County Pomona.

Oxford County Pomona Grange met with Fryeburg Grange Tuesday, June 13th, according to appointment. On account of the uncertain appearance of the weather there were not so many members of Pomona present from a distance as there would have been had the weather indications been more favorable, still quite a number of the more persevering ones were present from thirty miles away.

Fryeburg Grange is one of the largest and perhaps the largest Grange in the State, numbering nearly 300 members. When Pomona met with Fryeburg Grange two years ago the 5th degree was conferred upon a class of 80 candidates and all who went at that time reported a very enjoyable time and spoke very highly of the hospitality of the Fryeburg people.

This year all went with the preconceived opinion that they were going to have a good time and I am sure they were not disappointed in any degree. After going through the usual routine of business the 5th degree was conferred upon a class of 52, after which Bro. Smiley from Somerset county was called upon for a song which he rendered in a manner that was highly pleasing to the audience and worth going a long distance to hear. Then followed dinner, and those tables loaded with food prepared by Fryeburg Grange would cause the stomach of a hungry man to leap for joy.

After dinner all repaired to the hall and listened to the discussion of the following question, Resolved, that the intellect of woman is not inferior to that of man. The disputants were Sister Buswell and Sister Towle on the Aff. and Bro. Ballard and Bro. McKeen on the Neg. About an hour was fully occupied in the discussion and a good many sharp and laughable hits were made on both sides. The ladies showed a good degree of determination in sustaining their side of the question and the audience greatly enjoyed the fun.

There was some fine musical talent present and it was often brought out in the literary entertainment. Brothers Smiley and Farrington sang two duets, also duet by Bros. Smiley and Sturtevant. Then Bro. Smiley, who by the way is one of the finest singers in the State was called upon for a song, and the way he rendered the Jolly Old Farmer Magee, was simply side splitting.

There I have reported a few of the things which took place at Fryeburg and all I will say further is all who were not there lost a rich treat.

The next meeting will be the 2d Tuesday in August with Frederick Robie Grange, Otisfield Gore. L. T. B.

BUCKFIELD.

Mrs. Hersey, an old lady, the mother of O. H. Hersey, esq., is quite ill.

C. G. Cole has taken his turn introducing his finger to the buzz planer at Irish Bros. mill.

Ernest Atwood met with an accident by his hand coming in contact with a belt in Gile & Atwood's die block works.

The Kemps entertained the people of East Buckfield last Friday night.

Wm. H. Atwood has improved so much that he visited his son, the editor of the Oxford Democrat.

Fred Chesley has moved into Larkin Farrar's rent.

J. F. Packard broke his under jaw a few days since—"artificial."

Some of our people who have taken out life insurance papers have been sold or frozen out. So they go.

The victims of the free picture "sell" are increasing numerically.

Mr. Bassett of the Lewiston firm of photographers, Fassett & Bassett, has erected a tent near Nezinscott Hall. They gave good satisfaction here two years ago.

The store of I. W. Shaw was broken into last Thursday night. Jackknives, revolvers, pipes, etc., were missing. Any one coming in contact with a traveling vender of the above merchandise, might confer a favor on Mr. Shaw by informing.

Capt. Wm. Bacon, an old and respected citizen, died the 18th inst. He has been failing since early spring. His age was 76 years.

Fred Chesley has moved into Larkin Farrar's rent.

Alvin Robinson of Sumner was arraigned before Alfred Cole, esq., on Monday for assault on Levi Newell of the same place. O. H. Hersey for the State, Robinson conducting his own case Verdict $10 and cost. Appealed. Sumner was well represented, and such was the interest in the case (Mr. Newell being 78 years of age and in feeble health) the mills and places of business were for the time short handed. G. T.

STOW.

Mrs. Joseph Wiley died the tenth after a long illness.

The little son of Martha C. Chandler was badly bitten about the face by a pet dog.

A storm and cloud burst Thursday night flooded the intervale, and carried off bridges and did considerable damage to crops.

Mrs. Joseph Downs has been visiting her father, Jerome Smith.

Willie Walker has been visiting his parents.

We are glad to see Nellie Walker at home again.

Rose Hanson is at work at Elden Emerson's.

Louisa E. Spence is teaching in district No. 7.

Mrs. Charles Day's sister and niece are visiting her.

Sunday the 18th was observed as Children's Day. The church was decorated with ferns, flowers and plants. The children had a concert in the evening.

Will Smith has been visiting his brother at Tamworth.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

B. Mason of Berlin Falls, N. H., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Bennett, and her sister, Tot Mason, who has been there for a short time has returned home.

Mrs. Mary Miller of Mechanic Falls visited her brother, Geo. Lewis, last week.

Herbert Bennett is one of the guards at the World's Fair.

Effie Bennett goes to Chicago June 23. She is going to keep house for her sister, Dr. Nettie Bennett.

Daisy Harlow has gone to South Paris to work for C. H. Penley.

Scott Briggs is the happy father of a little girl that weighed 11½ lbs., June 16th.

S. E. Newell of Paris Hill was over June 16th, repairing his barn.

A. E. Forbes of the Oxford Democrat and Frank Hammond were in the neighborhood June 14th taking views with their cameras.

Mrs. Emma Bonney is at work at Scott Briggs'.

C. W. Lowe and family have gone to Stow to visit relatives.

E. H. Austin is at Old Orchard for his health. Dana Harlow is taking care of his stock while he is gone.

H. A. Flagg was at Auburn Tuesday.

NORWAY LAKE.

The days are longest of the year.

Partridge Bros. are taking account of stock.

David Flood has a carpenter at work on his house this week.

A number of people from the lake rode over to take a look at the new iron bridge across Crooked River last Sunday.

Surveyors Partridge and Kilgore, with a crew of men are repairing the highway.

Rev. W. Sandbrook and wife of Lovell, were in the place on Saturday.

W. O. Morse and wife are at their cottage by the lake. A sister of Mrs. Morse and baby from Boston are stopping with them this summer.

A new sailboat will soon appear on the lake. It is now being made by an old salt water sailor.

The sun was fiery on Tuesday, but a brisk north-west breeze down the lake made a comfortable day.

Mrs. Helen Kilgore has had a new carpet laid in her sitting room.

FRYEBURG.

Mary Weston attended the graduating exercises at Farmington Normal School last week.

Mrs. Page of Portland has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. J. C. Gerry and son from Lewiston visited at Dr. Harris' last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lord from South Windham are stopping with Mrs. Lord's mother, Mrs. Warriner, for a few weeks.

C. T. Ladd has been in Boston for a few days.

The funeral of Mr. Thomas C. Shirley was held from his late residence on Main street, Saturday p. m. Rev. Mr. Young, pastor of the Congregational church officiated. Mr. Shirley was a kind and thoughtful man, always willing to lend a helping hand whenever he was needed, and he will be greatly missed in our village. He leaves one brother who lives in Portland and one daughter to mourn his loss besides a large circle of relatives and friends. Those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Miss Deering and Mr. Austin of Boston, Misses Shirley, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. McKenney, Dr. S. E. Gordon and Philip Shirley all Portland.

Ann T. Somes, who has been spending the winter with her brother in California, returned home last week.

Minnie Pingree spent Sunday with her sister in No. Conway.

BRYANT'S POND.

Memorial services were held at the Universalist church last Sunday by the Rev. Mr. Wheeler.

Our brass band is progressing finely and giving us some good music. The new band stand is nearly completed and we are anticipating some fine open air concerts this summer.

M. M. Hathaway has just put in a fine new soda fountain.

It is said that Walter Small has one of the prettiest colts in town.

Franklin Grange is still increasing in membership. A photograph of the new hall with as many members as possible is to be taken on the first Saturday in July.

Hoeing is in full blast now, but the ground is getting very dry. CLINTON.

BYRON.

M. S. Whitney caught two bears last week. The town pays a bounty of five dollars this summer, for all bears killed by any of its inhabitants aside from the State bounty.

A Sunday school was organized at Hop city last Sabbath, with Silas Locke as Superintendent.

Stephen Taylor preached at the schoolhouse in Hop city, last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jotham Shaw is quite sick, attended by a physician.

Ed. Plummer of Androscoggin Water Power Co., is having the lines run between their land and other owners. The above company owns half of the township. S. A. Reed of Mexico is surveyor for them.

W. S. Richards of Boston, is spending a few days here, with relatives and friends. His mother, who has been in Boston the past year, came with him.

Patterson's Variety Show played at the hall, last Saturday evening. It was a first-class show, and was followed by a social dance. Music furnished by Patterson's company. A large company was in attendance.

Fred Knapp has his new shed up and boarded. Leslie Dunn and Amos Alden are at work for him.

A petition is in circulation for a new post-office to be located at Hop city. It was not generally signed. Samuel Knapp is to be the new postmaster.

Clinton and Guy Knapp are both sick with typhoid fever.

Leroy Thomas is peeling poplar for E. G. Knapp on his lot near Joseph Shortman's camp. H.

NORTH WATERFORD.

The Y. P. S. C. E. held their annual convention here on Thursday of last week.

The Rev. Mr. McCormack has preached here on trial the last two Sabbaths.

Harry Saunders will spend his vacation at his home in this village.

Albert, son of J. A. Brown has been quite sick.

Mrs. Tafts and her young daughter of Massachusetts are spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Geo. B. Rice.

Dr. Coolidge and H. P. Elliott are enlarging their stables.

Edna Green is at her home for the summer.

Rev. W. P. Bunnell and Mrs. J. H. Young have been visiting their sister, Mrs. C. G. Knight.

Bertha Hamlin is at her home for a few days.

Mrs. C. G. Knight is slowly improving from her severe sickness. The death of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Burnell of Bridgton, who died June 8th, was very hard for her to bear in her feeble condition.

The new bridge on the stage line from Waterford to Norway is completed.

CANTON.

Hon. Otis Hayford has been up to Byron, fishing.

The saw mill at Gilbertsville has started after a shut down of a few days.

Chas. Smith of Boston is visiting at L. W. Smith's.

L. O. Glover of Colby is visiting his sister, Mrs. Glines. He returns Saturday, the 17th. He graduates the 24th. He thinks of canvasing for views and stereoscopes this summer. He is a fine, exemplary young man and should succeed in any undertaking.

G. M. Peabody is at home for a few days visiting his father and mother.

Hon. C. H. Gilbert started for the south the 13th. He is superintendent of the Elevated Tramway Co. This is his second trip this year.

F. K. Stevens has contracted to carry the mail from Canton to Livermore Falls for the next four years. Frank is a good faithful hand and sure to get there every time.

L. W. Smith has a large crew of carpenters at work on the old grist mill building it over for a finishing room for the tannery.

A. P. Hutchinson is in town for a few days. It is hard hearing what he says, he speaks so low.

A new sidewalk has been laid on Dixfield street and across the walk. Washburn was the boss.

Z. E. Gilbert has laid a driveway around his buildings of coal ashes. It is reported that they make a driveway as good as concrete.

A party from here starts for the World's Fair next week.

Mrs. S. P. Adkins died the 15th, after many years of sickness.

I. S. Mendall is gradually wearing away.

O. A. McFadden of Portland was in town a few days this week.

W. K. Ripley started for Chicago the the 14th. He intends to put in two months at the World's Fair.

Our grist mill had four carloads of corn landed here one day this week.

Brown, the jeweler, is having all the work that he can do.

The following purses are offered at Canton for July 4th: Green horse race, purse $25; 2.50 class, purse $75; 2.38 class, purse $100. Entries close July 1, made to H. T. Terrill. Pacers and trotters admitted.

WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. Frank Lock of Bethel visited Mrs. Arthur Robertson last week.

Harry Mills is again out. He has been pretty sick.

A Singer sewing machine for sale, nearly new. Cost seventy dollars. Can be seen at the house of E. J. Bell in this village.

Jarvis Mains is in poor health with kidney trouble.

Mrs. Mary F. Holt has returned home.

Prof. Cook and wife of Jefferson, N. H., are here for a while. Mr. Cook has been pretty sick and now looks pretty poorly.

Mrs. Mary M. Bell has begun to build a house on her lot.

Mrs. Sewall Walker is in very poor health. She has a bad lung trouble and a very bad cough.

Fred Ordway has begun his trips to Gorham, N. H. He goes once a week for a while.

S. A. Coffin and wife and D. R. Hastings, 2nd, and wife of Gilead were at W. A. Farwell's last Sunday.

Advertised Letters,—Norway, P. O.

N. B. Bearce, D. F. Millins,
Wm. Odell, E. B. Blake, pkg.
Mrs. Ellen Richards.

OBITUARY.

Charles T. Fox, of the firm of Wing & Fox, proprietors of the Lewiston Sun, died Saturday. Mr. Fox was 29 years old and leaves a widow and two children. He was a lawyer by profession, having practiced at Kezar Falls, and was one of the founders of the Bangor Business College. Last winter with Henry A. Wing he established the Lewiston Sun. Eight weeks ago he was attacked with German measles which developed into pneumonia. The immediate cause of his death was bursting an abcess on his lungs, which his enfeebled condition rendered him unable to throw off. He leaves a wife and two children, one an infant of five days. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church at Kezar Falls Tuesday, at 2.30 p. m., and were conducted by Rev. John Collins. The floral offerings were beautiful, consisting of a harp from Mr. Wing, the editor of the Sun, an anchor from the compositors in the office, a wreath from his brothers, a pillow from his wife and his mother, and a basket of flowers from Mr. and Mrs. John Garner. The funeral cortege was conducted to the church and the cemetery by the Odd Fellows, Mr. Fox being a member of their order. Mr. Fox was young man of marked ability and his early death is deeply regretted by his fellow townsmen.

Rev. M. C. King preached an able and instructive sermon to the young men of this place from the text, "I go the way of all the Earth, be strong therefore and shew thyself a man."

Sad and Fatal Accident at Bethel.

On Wednesday, June 14th, Robert Woodbury Capen, aged 9 years and 1 month, youngest child of Edward A. and Mary J. (Abbott) Capen, was fatally injured and lived but a short time. The facts of the matter, told me by the afflicted parents are as follows: At about half past five o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Capen led his horse, a steady quiet beast, out into the dooryard to let him feed. After a few minutes he gave the end of the halter to Robbie to hold while he stepped into the house for a drink of water. After procuring the water he went into the dining room and sat down in a chair near the window. In a moment more Minnie, an elder daughter, saw the horse give a fearful jump, heard Robbie say in loud tones "Whoa! Whoa!" and then saw the horse rush frantically out of the yard with the child dragging, fastened to the rope. Terror stricken the family hastened after him vainly striving to stop the madly running horse, which kept on to Ossian Stanley's, a distance of nearly half a mile, where he was stopped by Mrs. C. C. Bryant, who succeeded in holding him while one of Mr. Stanley's little boys cut the rope and released the dying child. Tender hands carried the bruised form of the little sufferer into the house and Mrs. Bryant harnessed her horse and in an almost incredible short space of time had brought a physician to the scene of the accident, but mortal skill was unavailing and in a few minutes the sweet child's life here was o'er.

It is thought that he realized nothing after he said "Whoa" as his head struck a stone wall as the horse turned into the road. From the animal's actions the supposition is that he was stung and when he jumped the end of the rope swung over the boy's wrist. The knot caught forming what some call a "half hitch." The boy was thrown from his feet by the sudden jerk, his weight drew the rope taut and nothing could save him. There was a bad wound on his head, but considering the rough places over which he was dragged it seemed strange that he was not more mangled than he was.

Fifteen years ago Mr. Capen had a son in his 11th year instantly killed by a falling tree, so this blow seems to fall with double severity.

The funeral occurred at the child's home the 16th. Rev. Mr. Fickett spoke words of comfort and about seventy people followed the remains to their last resting place. And I thought as we left the white casket among the birds and the flowers, "Of such is the kingdom of heaven." A. K. M.

EAST RUMFORD.

Mrs. Cora Clifford and daughter are in town.

D. S. Marble and H. A. Yetten were in town Wednesday.

A. J. Knight has planted 8 acres of yellow corn.

Adam Simpson and wife of West Peru are in town.

Hill Raymond of Upton was in town Saturday.

H. H. Tibbetts is building a stable.

Mr. Reed of Waltham, Mass., is stopping at C. F. Wheeler's.

A. J. Marble is selling the Wood & Osborn mowers and rakes.

EAST HEBRON.

Rev. D. A. Gammon and Rev. Mr. Crockett exchanged desks last Sabbath. Mr. C. gave us a good practical sermon.

The Local Union convened here last Friday. Four clergymen were present, Rev. Mr. Lawrence of Buckfield, Berry of Chicago, Gammon and Keene of this place. The congregation was not large as many were busy at work on their farms.

Mrs. R. G. Beals is recovering from the measles, while others are coming down with them.

Some persons attempted to cut a square of glass from J. J. Fuller's store window one week ago last Monday night but made a rough job of hacking. They took a sack containing 100 pounds of sugar and a coil of large rope he left on the piazza for his son. From some cause some fifteen pounds of sugar got spilled on the ground and a part of the rope was cut in pieces and left on the platform. Suspicion points in certain directions.

Hot weather changes to cold and cold to hot, so we cannot tell where the mercury will abide on the morrow.

Mrs. Danville Jack of Sumner is in the place visiting her father and family.

A new Sabbath-school library is anticipated for the present season.

The prospect is good for haying and hoeing being ready at the same time.

Maude Davis has gone to Turner to pass a few weeks with her sisters.

Mrs. Stafford Bridgham of Auburn is visiting her nephews, Albion and Henry Allen. One day last week Henry Allen and wife had a party of four people over eighty years old,—Mrs. Knowlton and Mrs. Bridgham of Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Allen of Hebron.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

William Freeman is cooking for the river drivers at the "sorting gap." His wife is at her father's, V. E. Fuller's.

Herbert Berry moved his goods from the John Irish place one day last week. We are all pleased to hear that his wife's health is improving.

Georgia Hemingway is at her grandfather's, C. Hemingway's.

Ed. Washburn, wife and son of Farmington, who used to live at South Rumford were here last week visiting old friends and neighbors.

W. A. Wyman and wife and A. M. Elliott, wife and daughter took a trip to "Tumbledown Dick" in Peru, last Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Elliott and daughter Susie saw a deer in their pasture one night recently.

EAST BUCKFIELD.

Lots of work is being done on the quarry. Some sixteen men are there at work now and more coming.

Mrs. Mary Davee had some ripe strawberries the 12th.

Uncle Rasselas Cole is in very poor health; he is one of the oldest men in town.

Crows have been making bad work in the farmers' corn fields.

Wm. F. Robinson's old dog "Jack" was taken sick and died. The neighbors all miss "Jack" as he was a very nice dog.

Delbert Dunn, wife and little boy are visiting relatives and friends at Naples and vicinity.

Farmers in this vicinity are about done planting, all but those that plant cucumbers for the factory, and those they are just preparing to plant.

Daniel Tuttle has returned from Lowell, Mass., where he has been visiting relatives.

Robinson Dean's youngest daughter is sick with the measles.

Mrs. H. G. Davee has a very bad hand, caused by a sore on her finger.

Filmore Simpson and wife from North Turner called on his relative, Silas Shaw last Friday.

Mrs. Mary S. Mason has a very pretty Easter lily all in bloom.

The Keen boys with their road machine have made a very nice road.

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HASTINGS.

The Wild River Lumber Co.'s mill is shut down for a few days on account of not having cars to ship their lumber on.

Charles Bemas and Harry Hodgdon each have a new wheel.

J. W. Bennett made Hastings and Hilton a call one day this week.

Fish are plenty and so are flies.

Walter Davis stopped at Gilead over Sunday.

Two young ladies from Gilead made Hastings a call one day last week and walked the distance of three miles in an hour.

MAGALLOWAY PLANTATION.

Mrs. E. Leavitt is quite ill.

Our school supervisor, W. W. Linnell, with his wife has taken a trip to Bethel.

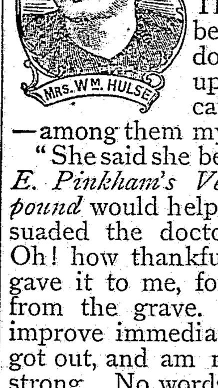
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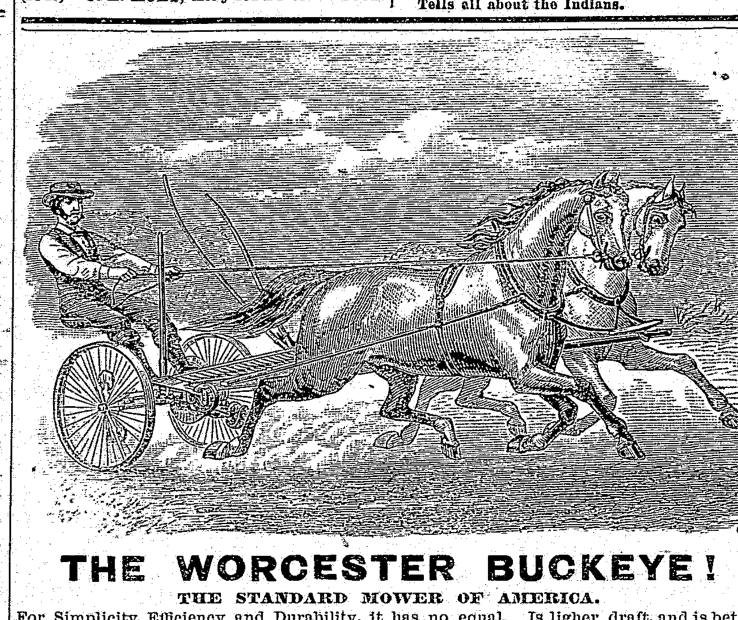
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106 Main St., - - - Norway.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.

All bills due DR. E. H. COOK, which are not settled on or before the first day of July next, cost will be made on the same. The books are at the office of C. E. Holt. (24-26) C. E. HOLT, Att'y for Dr. E. H. Cook.



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NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Mary Farnum has been quite sick the past week and has the attendance of a doctor.

Mrs. Sylvania Richmond and husband from West Bethel have been stopping a few days with her mother, Mrs. Doughty who is somewhat better.

Lewis Farnum and wife have begun housekeeping on the Hemingway place.

George York has bought a horse of Fred Abbott.

E. G. Wing is said to be not so well.

George Brown has been very sick but is much better.

Asa Sessions has arrived home from his visits.

Enos Farnham has been canvassing this section for fruit trees, etc.

GILEAD.

The Shepard family will give a concert at Town Hall, Thursday evening. All who have heard them once will surely not miss this opportunity and those who have not should attend if they wish a good evening's entertainment.

J. V. Burnham of Boston arrived in town Saturday to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burnham. Mrs. B. will come later.

May Peabody left here for Massachusetts Monday morning.

Quite a number of bicycles in town. Those who own them are: N. B. Bean, Willie Kimball, Charles Bemis and Fred Bemis.

Although Willie Hammond has had his bicycle only about two weeks he rode to H. F. Dixie's, delivered a special delivery letter and returned, a distance of about five miles, in fifty minutes with the thermometer at 90 in the shade. Who can beat that for an amateur?

Rev. M. Williams and family are settled in the parsonage, and there will be preaching both morning and evening Sundays and Endeavor meetings Wednesday evenings until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harriman, who have been absent about two weeks visiting friends in Massachusetts, returned about two weeks ago. While away they visited Mrs. H.'s mother, who is very ill, in Winchester, a sister at South Framingham, and their daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Harriman Lamson at Worcester. Mrs. H. met three sisters whom she had not seen for nineteen years. They report a pleasant trip and time, excepting for anxiety about her mother, who is not expected to live.

Billy Burke's company gave a good entertainment to a good house last Wednesday eve.

The announcement of the marriage of John Everett and Cora M. Record of So. Paris which occurred at So. Paris the 14th, was received here this week. John accept congratulations and best wishes from your numerous Gilead friends.

H. T. Dixie has been very poorly since arriving in town. Hope he may be able to get out soon.

A. S. Hodgman is improving slowly.

WEST STONEHAM.

Sulmore McKeen is at home from Rumford where he has been at work.

J. C. Sawyer is at work for Alphonzo Charles of Waterford, peeling poplar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKeen of Chatham, N. H., visited at David McKeen's last week.

Mrs. Hannah Barker returned from Bridgton last Thursday where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. Barrett, the painter who is boarding at Wm. Gammon's, is very busy transferring some of the picturesque scenery of West Stoneham to canvas.

Some of the farmers say the potato bug is more plenty than ever.

Linnie McKeen returned from Bridgton last week, where she has been visiting her sister Lottie.

Watson McAllister, wife and little daughter of Waterford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sawyer last Saturday and Sunday.

Wm. Gammon's buildings look very nice with a new coat of white paint.

Sam Davis of Bridgton visited his niece, Mrs. Sarah Gammon, last week.

Some very hot weather the past week with occasional showers.

EAST WATERFORD.

There was a dance here last Friday. Quite a good time. There will be another Saturday, July 1.

A. J. Haskell has gone to Bethel to build his cider mill there. J. E. Patterson has gone to work for him.

Berlin Iron Bridge Co. have finished their bridge and gone.

G. F. Ames is having his strips tied for shipping.

Susie Cummings is stopping at G. F. Ames'.

SNOW'S FALLS.

B. C. Curtis, Frank Farris, Charles Lawrence and Robert E. Shaw spent three days at Black brook last week. They caught 850 trout. If we cannot go fishing ourselves, we are glad to have our neighbors go for they remember us on their return.

Alva E. Estes visited his sister, Mrs. C. W. Brooks, at Locke's Mills last week.

B. C. Curtis is shearing sheep for S. F. Briggs of South Paris.

E. H. Stearns is quite lame from the effects of a recent fall.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

A company from Toll Bridge and the Centre visited the lodges at North Conway, Saturday.

Mary Buzzell, a former teacher at the academy, is at home from Massachusetts for a year's vacation.

Albertine Walker is at work at the Walker house in the village.

Charles Hawe is domiciled at the Cole house.

The grangers had a great gathering the 18th. Brother and sister officers from Paris, Bryant's Pond, Hebron and other towns were present and conferred the Pomona degree on a number in this grange. A picnic dinner was served in the dining room. Solos were sung by Prof. Smiley hnd S. A. Farrington.

Some twenty-five from the Rebekah lodge visited the Bridgton lodge last Tuesday evening.

The Sabbath school at Toll Bridge at 2 p. m. every Sunday is well attended. Mary Buzzell is superintendent.

A. P. Gordon is with a party of friends fishing at Sebago Lake.

WEST MINOT.

The Minot Packing Co. are running a night and day crew. Their factory at East Sumner is nearly completed. They will put another crew in there at once.

Everybody went from this place to the academy Wednesday to attend the commencement exercises. The concert in the evening was unusually good.

NORTH NORWAY.

Will Towne and wife who have been at R. Towne's a week have returned to their home in Arlington, Mass.

Nearly 40 people attended the circle at Frank Cox's and we hear it was a very enjoyable occasion.

Geo. Pingree is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. Flint.

Mrs. G. Abbott is visiting in Upton.

Mrs. Henry Tracy was in town last week.

George Carter is at home for a few weeks.

Help is scarce. A man who works out said he had six applications in one day.

Ed. Dunn has been doing mason work for Geo. Doughty.

Woodbury Russell and wife have returned from their trip to Auburn, also Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Merrill.

WILSON'S MILLS.

N. R. Bennett went to Colebrook last week for medical advice.

A party from Gorham went up the Magalloway for a week's outing and had fine luck catching trout.

The papers are all completed for our new P. M., D. C. Bennett.

J. W. Clark and son Edgar have been to Bethel the past week.

Dr. Edward Spaulding of Nashua came in Tuesday. F. A. Flint brought him in from Colebrook and R. A. Storey went to Camp Caribou with him. His kind, pleasant face is a welcome sight to all who have made his acquaintance during his annual visits here for the last thirty-five years.

Dick Martz the veteran showman gave an entertainment at the school-house Friday night.

Maybaskets have given way to June boxes and our young folks still have something for fun.

The dwelling house of E. F. Cotton of Brownfield, was burnt at noon Tuesday. Loss $1,000; insured for $600.

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We have marked to close at $2.00. These have been marked down from $6.00, $8.00 and $10.00.

A few odd Coats cut in several styles which we are offering at 50 cents apiece.

MEN'S SUITS cut in Frocks, Sacks, Square cut & Double Breasted, for $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50 and up.

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Our Boys' Suits are cut in all the popular styles for summer. We have the celebrated

COLUMBUS SUITS, One of the *NOBBIEST* things out this season. A badge to please the boys, given away with every suit. We can fit your boy with a suit from 85c. up.

MACKINTOSHES!

A large line from $3.50 to $25.00.

RUBBER COATS and UMBRELLAS.

Hats and Caps.

Hot weather is coming, and you will want a Straw Hat. We have marked a lot of our hats from 50c., 75c. and 90c. to 25c. Other Straw hats from 5c. up.

A full line of *DERBIES,* ranging in price from 25c. to $2.50; all the latest styles.

The largest assortment of *SOFT HATS* ever in Oxford County. Summer Caps from 10c. up.

Gents' Furnishings.

In Gents' Furnishings we have many bargains. Men's Overshirts that were formerly sold for 75c., 85c. and 90c., we have marked to 50c. Outing Flannel, Domet Flannel, Cheviot Print and Duck Shirts, for 45c. One lot of Outing Flannel Shirts, for 25c.

Black Shirts from 45c. to $1.25. Unlaundered White Shirts, three for $1.00.

The Stanley Shirt in all sizes. All the popular shapes in Collars and Cuffs.

Summer Underwear running to fifty sizes. Cotton Stockings for 5c. a pair. We have a stocking that is sold everywhere for 20c. a pair, which we are selling two pairs for 25c.

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Shaw's Curling Fluid, said to [be the be]st thing in use for curling ladies [hair] for sale at the Noyes Drug Sto[re] twenty-five cents a bottle.

Car load nice Canada hay for s[ale at] Andrews' stable, also 12 horses.

Children's trimmed sailors at [Mrs.] Hills' for 16 cents.

Oranges, Lemons, and Banan[as at] Hamlin & Bicknell's.

$2.00 cabinet at Young's, South [Paris].

Get the best soda water in town [at] the elegant new fountain at the [Noyes] Drug Store.

Dr. F. E. Drake will be in his [office] Saturday and all next week.

Millinery at cost for remainder of [sea]son at Mrs. Hills'.

Go to Noyes & Andrews' for ba[rgains] in dry good, fancy goods and gents' [fur]nishings.

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Ladies' sailors, trimmed with sil[k] ribbon for 50 cents at Mrs. Hills'.

You can buy all kinds of summer goods cheap at Noyes & Andrews'.

A new invoice of Crockery just re[ceiv]ed and selling at bottom prices. C[anned] goods of all kinds; 2 cans peaches [for 25] cents; 3 cans corn for 25 cents. [V]ery best tomatoes only 12 cents at [Ham]lin & Bicknell's.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

W. E. Foss is again slowly [improving] after a relapse.

The High School building has [been] painted.

Bertha Lamrock of Portland is [visit]ing her mother.

Freeland Howe and wife are mov[ing to] Cedar Lodge by the Lake side.

A. F. Marston is rusticating at B[...] land for two or three weeks.

H. D. Smith who has been at [the] World's Fair and West as far as Neb[ras]ka, has returned home.

Louvie P. Swett will race at Sa[co in] the bicycle races July 4th. Fred W[...] bury will accompany him.

Jesse Brown has one of the finest [gar]dens in town. Green peas and new [po]tatoes, though yet quite small.

Many farmers think the hay crop [will] exceed most any one's expectation. [The r]apid growth since the late rain is su[rpris]ing.

T. L. Webb, who has had, or con[sidered he had]... having that it is not worth dispu[ting,] the grip, is improving, though he ha[s not] yet regained his usual health.

Sneak thieves visited the Falls Mo[nday] night, and took several valuable ar[ticles] from the clothes lines of Mrs. Gibb[s and] Mrs. Cullinan.

Eugene Hayden is having a co[ttage] built by Lake Pennessewassee. G. Crockett is doing the carpentering. George Holmes furnishes material.

John Callahan after long deliber[ation] has settled on a name for his co[ttage.] He has passed in the following com[bina]tion of letters to the sign painte[r] "Sutubra" and the painted shingle [will] soon be ready.

Many common plants indicate a ch[ange] of weather. Every farmer will be [sur]rounded by natural barometers from [now] until fall. When the heads of cl[over] stand upright there will always [be] rain. If the leaves of the s[...] turn up, or the flowers of the [...] close there will be a storm. When [the] flowers of the sorrel open there will [like]ly be fair weather, but if they clo[se it] will rain.

Members of Norway Light Infan[try], especially those who have not parti[cipa]ted in rifle practice this season, will [have] an opportunity on the meadow ra[nge] Saturday, July 1, commencing 1.30 [p. m.] The following are the scores made [Sat]urday, June 24th. Position standing, [dis]tance 200 yards, posible to make 25.

Rank.	Names.	Score.
Sarg't	M. P. Stiles, ...	5 4 5 5 4
Corp.	A. E. Jordan, ...	4 4 3 5 4
"	"	4 4 5 4 3
"	F. T. Bartlett, ...	5 4 3 4 3
"	"	5 4 4 3 3
Priv't	H. A. Robbins, ...	2 3 4 3 4
"	"	3 3 3 4 4
"	H. A. Rich, ...	3 2 4 3 3

E. E. M[...]

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